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(22nd YEAR)

Spring and Fall Complete 1943 Catalog

John Muir says:

"Everybody needs beauty as well as bread, places to play in and pray in where nature may heal and cheer and give strength to body and soul alike."

To watch the corn grow, and the blossoms set; to draw hard breath over plowshare or spade; to read, to think, to love, to hope, to pray — these are the things that make men happy.

-John Ruskin.

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SPECIALIZING IN
CHRYSANTHEMUMS
DELPHINIUMS
IRIS — BULBS
CHOICEST FLOWER SEEDS

## PUDOR'S INC.

PUYALLUP, WASHINGTON STATE, U. S. A. POSTOFFICE BOX 147

## PLEASE READ THIS!

## Greetings!

N handing you this Catalog, we thank you sincerely for your support during 1942, and by "support" we do not imply your orders alone. Your friendly letters, kindly and helpful suggestions, expressions of appreciation or satisfaction and your generous recommendations to friends, have been most gratifying and encouraging. The value of your confidence is not underestimated for we realize that the steady and continual expansion of our business is its direct and inevitable result.

Though this Annual Spring Catalogue grows more comprehensive each season, we do not make additions without careful consideration, neither is praise bestowed indiscriminately. Where you find we recommend a flower, you may rely on its real merit.

Our business policy has always been to give value, good quality combined with "buyable" prices, and efficient service. Our earnest endeavor is to link up in your mind the two words . . .

"PUDOR'S — SATISFACTION"

Your sincerely,

PUDOR'S, Inc.

January 1st, 1943.

### LOCATION

We are located within the city limits of Puyallup at 1300 Stewart Ave. N. W., 1 mile west from the N. P. R. R. Station on the north side of the track. Phone 1627. Visitors are always welcome, SUNDAYS INCLUDED.

### General Directions to Customers

The attention of our customers is respectfully called to the following directions, which will, if followed, be an aid to purchasers as well as ourselves:

- Prices in This Catalog Supplant Those in All Previous Catalogs
  Please do not order from any previous catalog (1942 included).
- 1. ORDER EARLY. We aim to execute all orders as soon as received, but during the rush season from March to May and again from July to September, slight delays are unavoidable, which, however, can be largely overcome by our patrons anticipating their wants and ordering and taking delivery of their requirements early.
- 2. CANADIAN SHIPMENTS. Flower seeds are sent postpaid. Plants are sent by express, purchaser paying all charges. Patrons who wish to purchase plants or bulbs must secure a permit from the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.
- 3. SAFE ARRIVAL OF PACKAGES. We guarantee the safe arrival of all goods sent by express or mail to points within the United States. If a package sent by express or mail is injured or lost, we will replace it as soon as informed of the fact. Goods sent in any other way are solely at purchaser's risk. Frequently it happens that orders never reach us or are without signature. When customers fail to receive their packages in a reasonable time they should inform us, and at the same time send a copy of their order and any other information necessary to trace the goods. Claims for damage must be made on receipt of goods. We do not hold ourselves responsible for failure after delivery of the goods in good condition.
- 4. ERRORS. We exercise the utmost care in filling orders, striving to do a little more than we offer; yet in the press of business, errors sometimes occur, in which event we wish to be promptly notified of the fact, and will make such corrections as will be satisfactory. Please keep copies of all your orders for comparison.
- 5. **REMITTANCES** should be made by Check, Post Office Money Order, Drafts, or Express Money Orders. Personal Checks for less than one dollar are not acceptable as we are charged collection fees for such small checks; send stamps instead. We disclaim all responsibility when remittances are not made as above directed. Where it is not possible to obtain these, the letters should be registered. Coin should not be sent by mail.
- 6. CASH WITH ORDER. Please send money with the order sufficient to cover the whole bill. We decline sending goods "Collect on Delivery" unless remittance be made on account to guarantee acceptance.
- 7. NAME AND ADDRESS. Please remember to write on each order your name, post office, county and state; also give number of street or P. O. box as distinctly as possible; also the nearest express office, or, if on a stage route, send us special directions.
- 8. CATALOGS. OWING TO EXISTING CONDITIONS WE ARE PUBLISHING THIS ONE CATALOG ONLY IN 1943. THERE WILL BE NO SEPARATE FALL CATALOG. ALL SEEDS, BULBS, PLANTS (INCUDING THE BEARDED IRIS) FOR FALL PLANTING AND THEIR PRICES AT THAT TIME ARE LISTED IN THIS CATALOG. SO PLEASE PRESERVE THIS CATALOG FOR YOUR FALL ORDERS. EXTRA CATALOGS AT COST 15 CENTS EACH WHICH MAY BE DEDUCTED FROM ANY ORDER AMOUNTING TO 50 CENTS AND OVER.
  - 9. NON-WARRANTY. Most of the failures with seeds, plants and bulbs are due to causes entirely beyond our control, such as unfavorable weather or soil conditions, too deep or too shallow planting, etc., which renders it impossible for us to guarantee success, and although we take all possible care to supply only such goods as will, under proper conditions, produce satisfactory results, we still give no warranty as to description, quality or productiveness of any of the seeds, plants or bulbs we send out, and will not be in any way responsible for the crop, and every order for articles named in this catalog will be executed on these conditions only. It must, however, be plain to everyone who gives the matter the slightest thought that it is to our best interets to send out only such stock as will not only grow, but prove true to name and description.

10. SALES TAX. Add 3 per cent to cover tax on all goods bought and delivered in the State of Washington. Other States free.

## Hardy Perennial Flower Seeds for Spring or Summer Sowing

SALES TAX: Add 3 per cent to cover tax on all goods bought and delivered in the State of Washington. Other States free.

## ALL FLOWER SEEDS SENT POSTPAID PLEASE DO NOTE!

As only such seeds as germinate well in our own establishment are supplied to customers, we will not and cannot accept responsibility for failure in the hands of others whose management, lack of equipment or lack of knowledge, may unconsciously be the cause of non-success.

### ALYSSUM

- SAXATILE COMPACTUM (Gold Dust), Rich golden yellow flowers. Rock Garden and front of border. Blooms with tulips. Pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 20c.
- CITRINUM. A grand rock plant; a rounded cushion of gray leaves smothered in spring with lemon-yellow flowers. Height, 6 inches. 1 kt. 25c.

### AQUILEGIA (Columbine)

- DOBBIE'S IMPERIAL HYBRIDS. The finest long spurred mixture yet introduced; our strain shows a wide variety of the loveliest pastel tints, perfectly formed flowers on long stems. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 40c.
- BLUE SHADES. Large long spurred flowers. Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. 60c.
- PINK SHADES. A true strain of Coral Pink only; long spurs. Fkt. 25e; 1/16 oz. 60c.
- SNOW QUEEN. Long spurred, beautiful large pure white. Fragrant. Pkt. 25e; 1/16 oz. 60c.
- CAERULEA. The wild COLORADO ROCKY MOUNTAIN Columbine; beautiful sky blue; loves moist shady places. Collected COLORADO SEEDS. Per pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 50c.
- CRIMSON STAR. Long spurs, rich crimson with the center white tinged carmine, on erect 2-foot stems. An extra fine strain originally from Dobbies, the originators; comes 90 per cent true to color. Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.

### AUBRETIA or ROCK CRESS

Large flowering hybrids of many beautiful blue, pink, rose and lilac shades. Make beautiful cushions of foliage and flowers; 6 inches, trailing. Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. 55c.

### CAMPANULA (Harebells)

- CARPATICA. The blue Carpathian Harebell: deep blue. Height, 6 inches. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 30c.
- CARPATICA ALBA. The white form, Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 30c.
- PERSICIFOLIA "TELHAM BEAUTY." The finest Peachbell; China blue. Height, 2 feet. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.
- THE WHITE PEACHBELL. Height, 2 feet. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for
- ROTUNDIFOLIA var. "Olympica". This delightful Harebell is a hardy perennial plant for the rockery; 8 in. high; blooms in June and continues till August. Easy from seeds. Color, a deep lavender-blue. Per pkt. 20c.
- CANTEBURY BELL (biennuals). Pudor's Prize Mixture. Comprising all colors of single and double and cup and saucer. Sow early in summer for next year's bloom. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 25c.
- CUP AND SAUCER CANTERBURY BELLS IN SEPARATE COLORS. Dark Blue, Light Blue, Rose and White. Per pkt. 15c; 2 colors for 25c. All 4 separate colors, 50c. 1/16 oz. each color, 30c; 2 colors 1/16 oz., each 50c. All 4 colors, 1/16 oz., each \$1.00.

### **CHEIRANTHUS**

- ALLIONI (Siberian Wallflower). Height, 12 inches. Fiery orange. Rock garden or low border; blooms first season. Very fragrant. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 20c.
- GOLDEN BEDDER. A lovely shade of golden yellow. Height, 12 inches. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c.

### CERASTIUM

- TOMENTOSUM (Snow-in-Summer), Height, 6 inches. Small white flowers in profusion; silvery gray foliage; sun or shade. Per pkt. 15c.
- COLUMBINE. See AQUILEGIA.
- CORAL BELLS. See HEUCHERA.



AQUILEGIA, LONG SPURRED CRIMSON STAR (Columbine)

### **COREOPSIS**

- SUNBURST. Fully double; brilliant golden yellow; excellent for cutting. Pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 25c.
- "SINGLE". Large yellow flowers on long stems; excellent in masses in the border. Pkt. 10c; %oz. 25c.

## CHABAUD'S EVERBLOOMING GIANT DOUBLE CARNATIONS (PERENNIAL)

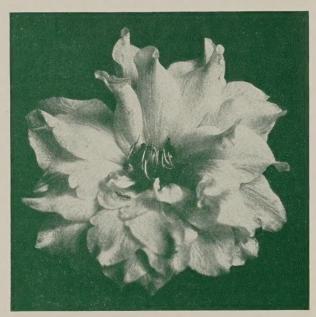
These delightful fragrant flowers are easily grown from seed. Sow any time between March and September, depending on your locality. They will bloom from seed in about 5 months. Start the seeds in flats.

- CARDINAL RED. Bright scarlet.
- CRIMSON (NERO). Deep dark crimson.
- LEGION OF HONOR. Deep salmon.
- THE PEARL. Light pink.
- DEEP ROSE.
- Separate Colors, PER PKT. 15e; 3 for 40c. (1)
- In the best MIXTURE, pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

#### DAHLIA

UNWIN'S ENGLISH MIGNON. Height, 15 to 18 inches. Lovely for the border; excellent for cutting. Wide range of lovely colors. Bloom 3 months from seed, blooming until frost time. Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

## Delphiniums



A Lovely New Seedling from our 55/66 Strain. A beautiful all-cobalt blue. Note the fluted and ruffled flower petals.

- PUDOR'S PEDIGREED PRIZE WINNER STRAIN. The choicest seed you can obtain. Mostly double 2½ to 3 inch blooms; shades running from sky blue to the deepest blue; mostly with pinkish fillings. Height, 6 to 8 feet. Prize winners for many of our customers in many cities year after year. In choicest MIXTURE, per pkt, (about 200 seeds plus) \$1.00; ½ pkt. 60c; 1/16 oz. (about 600 seeds) \$2.00.
- PUDOR'S PRIVATE STRAIN No. 55/66. It was originally a cross between a PURE WHITE and a MOTHER OF PEARL color. Throws most extraordinarily beautiful flowers in shades of double blues and pinks, purples and violets with now and then a beautiful white. This is our pet strain for surprises. Per pkt. \$1.00; ½ pkt. 60c; 1/16 oz. \$2.50.
- PUDOR'S DREAM. Still one of the finest Delphinium we have. Everyone marvels at the great beauty of a well grown clump with its dozen or two of flowering stalks. It is an early bloomer. The  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inch blossoms on a perfect stalk are very double of an exquisite shade of azure blue and pink with a small white bee or center. We are reducing the price of its seeds this season.  $\frac{1}{2}$  Pkt. (approx. 100 seeds) 75c; 1/16 oz. (approx. 600 seeds) \$3.00. DREAM is a shy seed bearer

Since there is very little seed left of this variety for spring sowing, either name some substitute when ordering, or we will fill your order for DREAM seeds in July from 1943 crop.

- SHAKUNTALA (Indian Princess). Our new very handsome hybrid. Some seedlings from it producing 4-ft. flower stalks with individual blossom stems 6 to 9 inches long, a most remarkable natural hybrid. No seeds this spring, but orders solicited for July-August delivery (subject to crop) at \$2.00 a packet of some 100 seeds. Orders filled in rotation as received. No sure promises made! No free repeats.
- GENERAL MIXTURE FIELD RUN PRIZE WINNER STRAIN.
  You will raise many beautiful plants from this mixture. We grow no poor specimens in our field. Pkt. 50c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.
- BLACKMORE AND LANGDON'S ENGLISH STRAIN. Many people still swear by this strain. Tall imposing plants bearing gorgeous blossoms mostly in the darker shades. Pkt. 35c; 1/16 oz. 75c.
- WHITE DELPHINIUMS, "PUDOR'S WHITE WONDER STRAIN". Vigorous tall growers, mildew proof with large double glistening, pure white blossoms, 2½ to 3 inches in diameter. Centers are pure white, some cream sometimes coal black (a mere chance). You must expect some blue rogues among the seedlings. Many customers think our strain of White Delphiniums are the best ever in texture, color, vigor and size of blossoms. Pkt. \$1.00; ½ pkt. 50c; 1/16 oz. \$2.00.
- CARDINALE. Scarlet perennial larkspur. This handsome California native flower grows to a height of 4 ft, and produces its brilliant flowers during the early summer months. Roots have to be taken up in the fall, stored in sand and replanted in the spring. (In cold winter sections.) Otherwise hardy. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 50c.



PUDOR'S BLACK-VELVET-EYED WHITE DELPHINIUM

- PUDOR'S BLACK VELVET-EYED WHITE DELPHINIUMS. After 2 years of careful rogueing and selecting plants, we have now plants that will produce a high percentage of large black-eyed double whites; many of our breeders have very large, coal-black glowing centers. All the plants are strong and vigorous and are true perennials, not apt to die after their first blooming season. You will get a few blues in a lot and all the whites will not have black bees. Please remember this when your plants begin to bloom. Owing to a general Delphinium seed crop failure the past year, we do not have a large quantity of this seed. Per pkt. \$2.00; ½ pkt. \$1.00. Not sold in less quantity, so please don't order 10 or 25 seeds. A half packet has over 100 seeds in it and you need that many to get a representative showing of seedlings.
- CALIFORNIA-PACIFIC WHITE "GALAHAD" STRAIN. Their great achievement in Giant Whites; the seed comes more true to color than our White Wonder Strain, but after comparison, many of our customers give our Whites the prize. Seed from carefully re-selected plants as to purest color and vigor of plants. Pkt. 75c; 1/16 oz. \$1.50.
- CALIFORNIA-PACIFICA "BLUE JAY" STRAIN. (V. & R). From our best selft pollinated plants grown originally from the finest hand pollinated seed. Mostly clear and dark blues, violet and lavender shades, nearly always double, 2 to 2½ inches. Pkt. 50c; 1/16 oz. \$1.50.
- CALIFORNIA PACIFIC "IMPROVED" WHITE GALAHAD STRAIN. Originally from their finest whites, HAND POLLINATED. These are truly magnificent and we have grown them 100 per cent true to the type. A limited quantity of seed at \$1.00 per 100 seeds.
- BELLA DONNA TYPE. They will always succeed in the warmest section of the country where the Hybrids will fail; they are also more resistance to disease. Height, 3 to 4 feet.
- CLIVEDEN BEAUTY. A beautiful azure blue; comes always true to type. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 45c.
- BELLAMOSUM IMPROVED. Large deep blue flowers with a small white bee; blooms 2½ in. across. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 45c.
- PUDOR'S SAPPHIRE. A beautiful brilliant clear sapphire-blue; a lovely cut flower. Comes 90 per cent true to type. Per pkt. 20c, 3 for 50c.
- LAMARTINE. Gentian blue with white center; fine type. Height 4½ to 5 ft. Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 45c.

### ATTENTION!

BEFORE YOU BUY DELPHINIUM SEEDS FROM US OF LAST FALL'S CROP, PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY:

There are still some people who have an idea that such seeds will not germinate satisfactorily or not at all, if sown in the spring; possibly they have tried it and "they knew it". But there are always some people who don't succeed even with fresh seeds 10 days or a month old.

We have assured our customers over and over that such an idea is entirely wrong. Last season's seed crop is just as good and strong in germinating quality (if stored and treated in the right way) as it was last fall with only this difference: In the fall the seeds will germinate within 10 days or 2 weeks, (if at all), but in the SPRING it will take from 2 weeks to a month before it will germinate; this at least has been our experience for many years past. And the number of seedlings resulting, will be just as large as last fall.

If you think a minute it does not seem plausible nor reasonable that good seed gathered as late in the fall as September or even October in some cases should lose its virility within 5 or 6 months. In fact one will get a good germanation from such seed throughout the whole year. Customers have done better than that.

We always make our largest sowing in the spring of the year, the last of April, clear up into May and use exactly the same seeds and the same mixture that we sell you. Such sowings give us the thousands of small seedlings that we sell in the following fall. Has it ever occurred to you that if our spring sown seeds are not any good and did not germinate satisfactorily, we could not sell the large number of seedlings that we do sell in the fall and at such a low price?

The fact of the matter is that often older seeds—several months old—will germinate better (though slower) than very fresh seed.

The verility of flower seed depends a great deal upon the condition under which the seed is kept or stored, such as temperature, light, moisture and air. Needless to say, that we store our seed over the winter under the very best conditions, in the most approved manner.

A well-known authority once said that gardening is more or less of a gamble—certainly seed sowing is, especially of seeds that require some experience, and watchful care. The modern Delphinium Hybrid certainly belongs to that class; we admit you can't treat the seed like you would raddish seed.

Here are a few causes of failure with Delphinium seed: Planting too deep (¼ inch is plenty) we have had some customers admit that they planted the seed an inch deep!

Keeping the seed bed too wet, especially when planted into flats, which causes always the "damping off" of the seedlings if you do get any germination. And not applying enough moisture, which causes the germs to die; here is where experience and good judgment comes in—the happy medium.

Too high temperature or direct sun; never sow Pelphinium seed in the hot summer time unless you can find a cool spot for it; this causes many failures of fresh seed in the summer. And so, don't sow your seeds in a hot greenhouse. Delphinium seeds require a cool temperature, sixty is best, certainly not as high as 70 or 80, the temperature of most greenhouses. Many customers turn their seeds over to a greenhouse man; almost invaribly a failure results, when they labor under the impression that a greenhouse man should certainly know how to germinate the seed.

A low "bottom heat" is okay and will hasten an even germination. And don't sow your delphinium seeds and keep your flat in a cellar or attic. Present "rationing of heat" for your house at 65 should prove a satisfactory abode for your flat but keep it away from radiators and near a light window.

There are many other causes for failure: Ants will carry off the seed; small slugs will eat the germs the very night they break through the soil. Mice will eat and carry off the seeds. One customer last year complained that she

got only a few plants from seeds sown in a flat; one day she discovered that a mouse had started housekeeping in the flat; she was nice enough to apologize later on, and bought another package.

Customers who buy a package of the "HYBRID" Delphinium and a pack or two of the Bella Donna type will nearly always get a 100% germination of the Bella Donna type and very few or none of the Hybrids, which they can't understand and complain about. All we can say to this is, that the Bella Donna seeds are much easier to grow than the "Hybrids" and will stand a lot of abuse and neglect and then give a fair germination, but the intricate Hybrids, more or less inbred for many generations, will not stand that neglect and bad treatment, and if they get it, they just won't germinate, even though the seeds have been grown in Elysium.

Finally, we guarantee our seeds to have been tested, to be fresh, viril seeds of the last season's crop, gathered from many individual plants (possibly one individual plant might produce poor seeds, but certainly not dozens or even hundreds of our seed bearers would produce poor seed (but we will not and can not guarantee that the seed you buy will germinate under your care and treatment.

PLEASE NOTE: The 1943 Delphinium Seed Crop is usually ready last of July to August first; plenty of time to get strong seedlings before winter comes.

### DIANTHUS OR PINKS

- ALWOODI ALPINUS. One of the best rock garden pinks; many large doubles and fancy singles. Exquisite colors. Height, 6 inches. Per pkt. 20c.
- "DELIGHT." A free flowering Hybrid; wide range of colors; perfectly hardy and easy to grow; blooms the first season. Height, 9 inches. Per pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 60c.
- WINTERI. Striking new pinks; wide range of color, deliciously scented; blooms first season; hardy. First Class Certificate Royal H. S. Per pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.
- **DELTOIDES SUPERBUS (Major Stearn).** Tiny rock pinks, grayish foliage, masses of dainty little flowers pink to crimson. **Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.**
- PLUMARIUS. The old fashioned clove scented GRASS OR CLOVE PINKS. Self colors of various tints of pink, rose. salmon and white and the same colors in combination with a bright crimson zone. Blooms are 1½ to 2 inches; stems 12 to 15 inches; free flowering.
- D. PLUMARIUS "SPRING BEAUTY". Extra double Giant mixed. This is a very fine strain of this type of Dianthus; very superior to others. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 25c.
- BEST MIXTURE. Single and double mixed (not separate). Pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 25c.
- SWEET WILLIAM (Pink Beauty). Pkt, 10c; 1/16 oz. 25c.
- SWEET WILLIAM (Scarlet Beauty). Pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 25c.
- SWEET WILLIAM (Barbatus). Finest mixture. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 25c.

### DIGITALIS (Foxglove)

- LITZ'S HYBRIDS. Novelty. Salmon-pink shades. 4 ft. 1/16 oz. 35c; per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.
- THE SHIRLEY. Magnificent strain, enormus flowers from pure white to deepest rose. 5 ft. Mixed. Per pkt. 10c; 3 pkts. 25c.
- D. ALBA. Pure white Foxglove; very beautiful. Per pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c.
- GRANDIFLORA LUTEA. Yellow. Dwarf specie for the rock garden. Height, 18 inches. Per pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c.
- GIANT PRIMROSE FOXGLOVE (Novelty). Most attractive color; not yellow and not white, just pure primrose color. Per pkt. 20c.

### GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA (Blanket Flower)

BURGUNDY. Deep red flowers, very effective, Fine for cutting. Height, 30 inches. Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 25c.

DAZZLER. Golden yellow and maroon red. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 20c.

#### GEUM

LADY STRATHEDEN. Rich golden yellow double flowers. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

MRS. BRADSHAW. Large semi-double orange-scarlet. Per pkt.  $10c,\ 3$  for 25c.

PRINCE OF ORANGE. A grand novelty in a striking shade of deep orange. The flowers are double and of extra size. A fine spot of color for the rockery. 18 inches. Per pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 50c.

### GYPSOPHILA

PANICULATA Fl. Pl. ("Snow White"). Easy to raise from seed, blooms the first year if sown early. Mostly double flowers. Per pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. 50c.

PACIFICA. A new pink Baby Breath. Very fine. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

BRISTOL FAIRY. Does not produce seed. The handsomest of all See plants.

All Gypsophilas are lime lovers; give them plenty of it and spare rich fertilizers.

### **HELIANTHEMUM** (Rock Rose)

Finest mixture of these delightful, indispensable rock plants. Round evergreen cushions and thousands of little silky roses; pink, white, orange, yellow, red salmon, sulphur and old rose. True perennials. 6 to 12 inches high. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.



HEUCHERA SANGUINEA (CORAL BELLS)

### HEUCHERA (Coral Bells)

Height, 12 inches. Bright coral-red flowers on wiry stalks. Charming for low border or rock garden. Per pkt. 25c.

### HOLLYHOCKS

**TRIUMPH DOUBLE.** Early flowering strain, containing a great variety of new colors; the flowers are gracefully waved and fringed. This is a wonderful hollyhock.

**NEWPORT PINK.** Beautiful double pure pink flowers of largest size.

DOUBLE YELLOW. Pure, clear yellow.

ENGLISH PRIZE MIXTURE. Chater's strain; extra fine. Any of the above per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 25c.

INDIAN SPRING. See under "Annuals". A fine novelty.

### IBERIS (Candytuft)

GIBRALTARICA. Flowers white tinged lilac. 3 pkts. 25c; pkt. 10c.

SEMPERVIRENS. Pure white flowers, evergreen habit. A gem. Per pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c 1/8 oz. 40c.

### ICELAND POPPY ((Nudicaule)

SANDFORD'S GIANTS. Undoubtedly one of the best Iceland poppies. The color balance is excellent, the flowers immense and the stems the longest; fine for cutting. Bloom same season if sown early. Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 30c; ½ oz. 50c.

GARTREF STRAIN (Australia). Huge flowers on long stems; beautiful range of colors, ruffled edges. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

RED CARDINAL. A brilliant cardinal red on long stems. Pkt.

GOLDEN WINGS. Iceland Poppy. Immense flowers of bright golden yellow on long stems. Pkt. 20c.

APRICOT. New Iceland Poppy. Bright tones of apricot; very beautiful. Pkt. 20c.

COONARA PINKS. Iceland Poppy. A fine mixture of pink and light rose shades. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 30c.

### IRIS, JAPANESE

KAEMPFERI HYBRIDS. Rich damp soil. Choicest mixed varieties. Plants bloom the second year. ½ oz. 35c; ¼ oz. 60c; ½ oz. \$1.00; per pkt. 15c.

### LUPINS POLYPHYLLUS

SUPERB ENGLISH HYBRIDS. Seed saved from a collection of the very finest modern named Hybrids; pink, crimson, apricot, orange, lavender, indigo and several fine bi-colors. Will produce beautiful seedlings. Sown early will bloom the same year. Height, 3 to 4 feet. In finest mixture. Per pkt. 25c; 1/4 oz. 50c; 1 oz. \$1.75.

RUSSELL HYBRIDS. From our magnificent collection of carefully grown and selected plants from Mr. Russell's genuine best seeds. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. (approx. 150 seeds) 50c; ½ oz. (approx. 300 seeds) \$1.00; 1 oz. \$3.00.

RUSSELL'S BI-COLORS such as pink and white; yellow and pink; purple and white; blue and white; not separate seeds but carefully mixed from the finest plants only; seeds rare. Pkt. (approx. 50 seeds) 40c; ¼ oz. 75c.

### LAVANDULA

VERA. The English Sweet Lavender. Hardy perennial; 2 feet. Highly ornamental and sweetly scented. Per pkt. 20c; ¼ oz. 50c.

LAVENDER (Munstead Strain). Dwarf; 1 foot; deep lavender. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; ½ oz. 50c.

### LINUM (Flax)

SIBIRICUM. Common blue flax. A lovely thing. 3 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 10c.

NARBONENSE. Beautiful steel-blue glistening large flowers. 1/8 oz. 60c; per pkt. 25c.

GRANDIFLORUM RUBRUM (Scarlet Flax) is an Annual.

### MYOSOTIS (Forget-me-not)

ALPESTRIS. MESSIDOR (Blue Eyes). Beautiful deep blue. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 35c.

PALUSTRIS. The lovely swamp forget-me-not. Up to a foot tall; clear sky-blue; blooms from June on. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 25c.

### **PENTSTEMON**

Ordinary soil in the sun.

GLOXINOIDES, the English Garden Hybrids. Many-hued Gloxinia-like flowers. Half hardy. Needs protection in winter. Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 50c.

### PAPAVER (Oriental Poppy)

"EXCELSIOR MIXED". A very fine mixture ranging from delicate pink and salmon to deep crimson, and many other shades. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

PERRY'S WHITE and BARR'S WHITE. Enormous white silky flowers; seedlings will show some off colors. Per pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 95c,

### POLYANTHUS (Hardy Bunch Primroses)

HURST'S MONARCH STRAIN. Spring flowering hardy perennials. An improved giant flowered strain of strong constitution, throwing up strong stems which carry large heads of bloom, often 2 inches across, in vivid colorings ranging from white, cream and yellow, to scarlet, purple and crimson tones. Borne on strong stems are excellent for cutting, as well as making a splendid show in the garden. You can't buy any better seed. Undoubtedly the finest of all strains of Polyanthus. Per pkt. (approx. 100 seeds) 25c; 1/16 oz. \$2.00.

NO SPRING DELIVERY—1942 seed crop sold out. Order in summer from new seed crop which will not be plentiful.

BLUE PRIMROSES (By Pudor). A fine re-selected strain; all blue-purples in seed plants discarded. Spring seeds and again this summer. Per pkt. (approx. 100 seeds) 40c; 50 seeds, 25c. No trouble in growing Primroses from good, fresh seeds, if you use care and good judgment. No free replacements.



### PYRETHRUM, PERSIAN DAISY (Painted Daisy)

Pink, rose and red flowers on long stems; fine for cutting; blooms spring into fall; beautiful in the garden, easy to grow. Mixed, single and double—not separately. Doubles usually don't come until second flower crop. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 75c.

### SCABIOSA

CAUCASICA. Hardy perennial; one of the most valuable plants. Blooms continually from early spring until after frosts, beginning four months from seeds. Beautiful large flowers in soft lavender blue and lilac shades. Soil of a gritty nature with some lime and perfect drainage. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 50c.

### SHASTA DAISY

FULLY DOUBLE STRAIN. Glistening white; a hardy and robust grower. It will come about 75% true double. Per pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.

MRS. C. LOWTHIAN BELL. Single, purest white, 6 inches across on long stems, continues to bloom until October. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/8 oz. 35c.

### SWEET ROCKET or HESPERIS

WHITE SWEET ROCKET. Per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c; ¼ oz. 35c. PUDOR'S PINK SWEET ROCKET. A fine orchid pink. Per pkt. 25c; ⅓ oz. 40c.

### THALICTRUM (Meadow Rue)

DIPTEROCARPUM. Tall growing perennial plants of great beauty, with loose sprays of clear mauve and primrose flowers; most graceful habit; thrives best in rather poor soil in the shade. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 40c.



PYRETHRUM, PERSIAN DAISY (Painted Daisy)

### TROLLIUS (Globe Flower)

Large, handsome globular flowers of a rich golden yellow or orange color. Blooms last of May and early June and often again in the late summer. Our own fresh seed Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 50c. Freeze it for 48 hours in your refrigerator, or soak for 24 hours in luke warm water; it will hasten germination.

LEDEBOURI "GOLDEN QUEEN". A very fine novelty. Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society, London. We offer again seed of this beautiful hardy perennial plant. It is a valuable garden plant and continues in bloom from June till October; in fact, we cut flowers outside as late as November. Fresh seeds per pkt, 15c, 2 for 25c.

#### VIOLAS OR TUFTED PANSIES

SUTTON'S APRICOT. Discontinued. Chantreyland much better.

ARKWRIGHT RUBY. Novelty. One of the most distinct of all the bedding Pansies or Violas. The flowers are borne in great profusion. Delightful rich ruby-red flowers. Seeds will always be scarce as the plants are very shy seeders. Per pkt. 20c, 3 for 50c; 1/16 oz. 90c.

BLUE BEAUTY. Clear, bright blue. Early. Free flowering. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 90c.

CHANTREYLAND. Masses of beautiful flowers in rich apricot shade, tinted orange towards the center. A better Sutton's Apricot. Per pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 90c.

JERSEY GEM. Rich pure violet, large and very fragrant on long stems; one of the best; a persistent bloomer all summer. Shy seeder. Per pkt. 25c. Scarce.

"MAGGIE MOTT". No seeds available.

WHITE PERFECTION. Pure white. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

YELLOW GEM. A beautiful clear golden yellow. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

A SPLENDID LARGE FLOWERED MIXTURE. Ruby, bronze blue, golden yellow and many unusual shades. Special formula blend of only choice large flowered Violas. Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 55c; ½ oz. \$1.00.

### CULTURE OF SWEET PEAS

First and most important, plant as early in the spring as the conditions will permit. Seeds should be sown at the rate of 1 ounce to 25 feet. Make a trench about 3 or 4 inches deep, planting seeds in the bottom about 2 inches deep, pressing the soil firmly. After the plants are well up, thin to 4 or 5 inches apart and draw the soil around them until the trench is filled above the level. This gives a depth to the roots, preserving the moisture. Keep the ground well worked and water if needed, an occasional soaking down being better than a daily sprinkling. Keep the flowers cut close.

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## Annual Flower Seeds

ALL FLOWER SEEDS SENT POSTPAID

PLEASE DO NOTE! As only such seeds as germinate well in our own establishment are supplied to customers, we will not and cannot accept responsibility for failure in the hands of others whose management, lack of equipment or lack of knowledge, may unconsciously be the cause of non-success.

ALYSSUM (Little Gem). Dwarf, compact habit; mass of bloom all summer. 3 inches high. Per pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c.

Lilac Queen. Pale lilac of dwarf habit. Height, 3 inches. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 15c; ½ oz. 25c.

Alyssum Carpet of Snow (procumbens). 2 inches. Per pkt. 10c;

1/4 oz. 25c. Sweet Alyssum, Maritinum White. Delightfully fragrant; masses of flowers. Per pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c.

### SNAPDRAGONS

- ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon). University of California RUST PROOF, mixed; tall grandiflora type. Per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.
- RUST RESISTANT MAXIMUM. These plants bear beautiful spikes with large flowers on long stems, with 12 to 18 stems to a plant. Height 3½ ft. Copper King, Yellow Giant, Salmon Pink Shades, Salmon Rose Shades, Alaska (glistening white), Maximum Mixed. Any, pkt. 20c, 3 pkts. 50c.
- RUST RESISTANT NANUM, SEMI-DWARF. Large flowering. The best for bedding, fine for cutting. Height about 18 inches. Carmine Rose, Old Gold Shades (gold and apricot), Orange Shades, Wildfire (new, bright orange-scarlet), Yellow Gem (clear yellow), Pudor's Malmaison (pure silvery pink; outstanding), or Mixed. Any, pkt. 20c, 3 for 50c.
- RUST RESISTANT SUPER MAJESTIC. Base branching. Excellent for garden and cut flower purposes. Height 3 feet. Shell Pink Shades, Royal Crimson, Orange Shades or Super Majestic Mixture. Either one, pkt. 25c, 3 for 60c.

### ASTERS

- CALIFORNIA GIANT ASTERS. (Wilt resistant.) The finest of all Asters, like a large Chrysanthemum; 6 inches on long stems. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 35c; 1/8 oz. 60c.
- CALIFORNIA SUNSHINE ASTERS. Many consider these the most beautiful of all Asters. Shades of pink, rose, lavender and blue. Height 36 inches. All shades in mixture. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 35c 1/8 oz. 60c.
- SUPER GIANT ASTERS. Flowers often 6 inches across. Height 2 feet. El Monte (large flowering crimson), Los Angeles (immense clear shell pink). Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 30c; ½ oz. 50c.
- CALENDULA. Double Art Shades. Novelty from England. Delicate apricots, picotees, orange shades, cream tones; beautiful flowers. Ht. 2½ ft. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; ¼ oz. 35c.

Campfire (Sensation). Double brilliant orange with red sheen; an extra fine, lovely Calendula; immense flowers and long stems; height 2 ft. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; ¼ oz. 35c.

Chrysantha. Novelty, like a Chrysanthemum; clear buttercup yellow, petals incurved; Ht. 2 ft. Per pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c. Yellow Colossal (New). Clear yellow, very large flowers. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/8 oz. 35c; 1/4 oz. 65c.

Finest Mixture of the best, large flowered long stemmed varieties; a lovely cutting mixture for home use and florists. Per oz. 50c; ½ oz. 30c; per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.

CANDYTUFT. Rose Cardinal. Brilliant deep rosy-red. 6 inches. Per pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 25c.

Umbellata Hybrida Nana. Dwarf group; fine mixture of colors. 6 inches. Per pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c.

Umbellata Varieties. Tall in fine mixture. 1 ft. Per pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 25c.

"White Empress". Giant hyacinth flowered with enormous trusses. 6 inches. Per pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 35c; ½ oz. 25c.

RNFLOWER "JUBILEE GEM". A dwarf variety making a compact plant literally covered with flowers. It has a foliage distinct from all other Cornflowers, forming a tufted mass CORNFLOWER "JUBILEE GEM". of vivid green, contrasting well with the dark but vivid double blue flowers. The plant is about 12 inches in height. A lovely pot plant, an ideal edging and border plant, a fine cut flower; THE ideal boutonniere, keeping in perfect shape without water for 24 hours. In continuous bloom from early until killed by frosts. Per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c; 1/8 oz. 40c; 1/4 oz. 75c.

### ANNUAL CARNATIONS

- CHABAUD'S "ENFANT DE NICE". This is the last word in annual Carnations. The plants are robust with long strong stalks bearing flowers 21/2 to 3 inches in diameter. Will bloom in a few months from seeds. Never sprinkle flowers or buds, for they will turn brown. The colors come about 75 per cent true from seed and about 90 per cent of the plants come double; clove scented. This strain is magnificent.
- ENFANT DE NICE EVERBLOOMING. The plants are of robust upright habit (20 in.), with long, strong stalks bearing flowers 21/2 to 3 inches in diameter. This strain is magnificent. The colors come about 75 per cent true from seed and about 90 per cent of the plants come double. Clove scented. Separate colors in PALE PINK, DEEP ROSE, SCARLET, WHITE. Order by color. Per pkt. (approximately 120 seeds), 25c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.

In Best Mixture, pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 90c.

- PERPETUAL ENGLISH GOLD MEDAL. A famous English strain which is hand pollinated. Hardy, large flowered, long stemmed of great merit. Height, 2 ft. Per pkt. (approximately 100 seeds plus) 25c; 1/16 oz. (approximately 850 seeds) \$1.50. In mixture only.
- CLARKIA. This pretty and easily grown annual has been much improved in recent years, and the varieties offered below are excellent for cut flowers; they do well either in sun or shade, growing 2 to 21/2 feet high, with leaf racemes of double flowers, which all open in water when cut.

Tall Varieties with flowers in long loose sprays. 2 ft.

English Brilliant Mixture. A selection of the finest double variety. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 15c; ¼ oz. 25c.

Glorious. Brilliant crimson, very fine. 21/2 feet. Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 25c.

Enchantress (Novelty). The finest salmon-pink Clarkia, very large, very double and fine for bedding or cutting. Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 25c.

Firebrand (Novelty). A new color in Clarkias of extraordinary brilliance, a vivid copper-scarlet, exceedingly effective. Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 25c.

COSMOS. New Double Crested Early Flowering Hybrids. June to October. 3 feet. Mixed. Per pkt. 20c; ½ oz. 45c.

Extra Early Single Mammoth Flowering. Valuable in cooler sections with a short growing season, where the late Cosmos never blooms. 3 feet. Mixture. Per pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; ½ oz.

ESCHSCHOLTZIA. See under POPPLY. California Poppy.



SENSATIONAL NEW ANNUAL CORNFLOWER "JUBILEE GEM"

### DIMORPHOTHECA—STAR OF THE VELDT

AFRICAN DAISY. Height 12 to 18 inches; one of the quickest blooming annuals, often flowering within 6 weeks from seed. Produces a wide range of lovely colors; shades of primrose, apricot, buff and orange, as well as delicately tinted white flowers, many double and semi-double. Plant in sun in rich soil. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 25c. In mixture only.

FLAX, GRANDIFLORUM RUBRUM (Scarlet Flax). A hardy annual of slender and graceful appearance with fine foliage and bright red flowers. It makes beautiful beds or borders and is largely used for cut flowers. Scarlet Flax makes a fine fall and winter flower, blooming profusely for several months. May also be sown in the spring. Height 1½-3 feet. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c.



GODETIT, SYBIL SHERWOOD

GODETIA. Ordinary soil in the sun. Tall varieties with flowers in long loose sprays. Height 18 to 24 inches.

Kelvedon Glory. Glowing salmon-orange. Thousands of these were used on Treasure Island, San Francisco Fair. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/8 oz. 35c.

Tall Mixed. White, pink and scarlet. Pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 20c.

GODETIA. DWARF DOUBLE AZALEA FLOWERED. Height 10 inches—

Sweetheart. Bright cream-pink. Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 25c. Sybil Sherwood. Bright salmon pink, edged soft white; very beautiful. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 25c.

Finest Dwarf Mixed. Pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 25c.

GODETIA. Tall DOUBLE varieties.

Crimson Glow.

Lavender (extra fine).

Rosy Morn; bright pink. Finest Mixed.

Any named one, or best mixture. Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c; ½ oz. 25c. State plainly which of the Godetias you want. Don't just say "Godetia".

GYPSOPHILA. ANNUAL BABY'S BREATH. Elegans "Carmine Rose". A charming variety. 1 ft. Per pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 35c; ½ oz. 20c.

Elegans Grandiflora "Covent Garden". Pure white. 1 foot.

HOLLYHOCK ANNUAL "INDIAN SPRING". A fine novelty. Semi-double in soft pink shades. Height 3 ft. Blooms in the early summer with a second bloom in the late fall. Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/8 oz. 40c.

### ANNUAL LARKSPUR

REMEMBER LARKSPURS ARE COOL WEATHER PLANTS. THIN YOUR PLANTS OUT TO 2 FT. APART AND ALLOW TO BRANCH. FOR BEST RESULTS CHILL THE SEEDS IN THE REFRIGERATOR FOR 24 HOURS — THIS IS THE IDEAL TREATMENT FOR BEST RESULTS.

THIS FALL SOW YOUR SEEDS BROADCAST IN NO-VEMBER AND SEE THE FINE RESULTS YOU WILL GET.

GIANT IMPERIAL SECTION. Tall, upright; height 4 to 5 ft.—

Blue Spire. Intense deep Oxford blue.

Blue Bell. Azure blue.

Coral King. Blush pink with a strong suffusion of coral. Very large, fully double.

Daintiness. A new and delightful shade of lavender-orchid.

Dazzler (New). Rich scarlet.

**Exquisite Pink.** Soft pink shaded salmon. Award of Merit Royal Horticultural Society.

Lilac King. Rich pure lilac; fully double. Closely spaced florets.

**Pink King.** A lovely soft shade of salmon rose. One of the earliest of all Larkspurs, coming in with the Stock Flowered "Rosamond".

White Spire. Dazzling pure white.

SEEDS of any of the above NAMED varieties. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c;  $\frac{1}{12}$  oz. 35c;  $\frac{1}{12}$  oz. 60c.

Giant Imperial Mixed. A well balanced mixture of all the colors. Per pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; 1 oz. 90c.

NOVELTY! Larkspur Giant Imperial "ROSE KING". A bright deep rose shade. Florets are fully double, 2 to 2¼ inches in diameter with broad wavy edged petals closely spaced on 2 to 2½ ft. cutting spikes. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 25c; ¼ oz. 75c.

DOUBLE STOCK-FLOWERED LARKSPUR. 4 feet, branching-

La France. Pleasing salmon pink.

Rosy Scarlet.

**Rosamond.** An American Gold Medal selection; a very fine thing. Everybody bought it last year; it is cheaper this year.

Seeds of any of the above DOUBLE STOCK-FLOWERED varieties: Per pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; 1 oz. 75c.

Double Stocked-Flowered Mixed. 4 ft. Per pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; ½ oz. 35c; 1 oz. 50c.

LEPTOSIPHON HYBRIDS (Jewel Flower). An enchantingly beautiful little annual of dainty fairy-like habit; not half enough grown. Branched slender habit, smothered with dazzling little blossoms of pink, gold, crimson, yellow, etc. Ht. 6 inches. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

Gracilis. Light blue; fine for border effects, especially if sown with white annual alyssum. Per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 30c.

MIGNONETTE—M. "Bismarck". Extra selected giant flowering. M. "Red Goliath". Large, intense red spikes. Per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.

Machet Special Mixture. 1/16 oz. 10c.

MORNING GLORY. Scarlett O'Hara. Is of a rich dark wine red or deep rosy-crimson color. Per pkt. of 20 seeds, 10c; ½ oz. 25c. Clark's Early Heavenly Blue. The most beautiful of all Morning Glories. Plant in a sandy location late in the spring and water very sparingly. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

NASTURTIUMS. Madame Gunther's Hybrids. A mixture of brilliant colors. Climbing. Per pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 20c; 4 oz. (1/4 lb.) 50c; 1 lb. \$1.40.

"Golden Gleam". The sensational novelty of 1932 which took like wildfire all over the world. A double, sweet-scented golden yellow Nasturtium. A most lovely cut flower subject and a bright spot in the garden. Price greatly reduced. Per pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c.

Glorious Double Gleam Hybrids. Mixed, a wonderful mixture of brilliant colors of double Nasturtiums. Per pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c.

"Scarlet Gleam". Fusilier stock from England. Double VIVID ORANGE SCARLET. Highly commended. Per pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 25c; per oz. 40c.



MARIGOLD, GIGANTEA SUNSET GIANT

MARIGOLD. Gigantea "Sunset Giants". A very fine 1937 novelty that has found uniform admiration among gardeners everywhere. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 25c; 1/8 oz. 35c.

New Marigold "Sunrise". Chrysanthemum-flowered type; 100% fully double. Tall bushy growth, rich green foliage; fine stems for cutting; brilliant golden yellow flowers. Winner of Award of Merit. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 25c; ½ oz. 35c.

### DWARF FRENCH MARIGOLD

Harmony. Dwarf, compact, early golden yellow, bordered maroon red. Pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 20c.

Sunkist (New). Bright golden orange; a veritable gem in the garden. Early and free blooming, a dazzling color for the border, window box or flower pot. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 25c; ½ oz. 40c.

Spry. Dwarf, compact, yellow bordered mahogany. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 20c; ½ oz. 35c.

Royal Scot All Double. New. Dwarf compact plants and 100 per cent double. This beautifully striped French Marigold is truly double and grows to a height of only 12 inches. Rich mahogany and gold in uniform stripes. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 25c; 1/8 oz. 40c.

NEMESIA. Sutton's. Large flowered in beautiful colors. 1 ft. Per pkt. 15c; 2 pkts. 25c.

You miss a lot if you don't grow Nemesias.

NEMOPHILA. Insignis (Baby Blue Eye). A lovely low growing hardy annual; height 6 inches. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c.

CALIFORNIA POPPY. Echscholtzia "Monarch Art Shades". Like beautiful rosebuds.

Special Hybrid Mixture. Containing soft pink, scarlet, copper red, claret and royal purple, as gorgeous as a Persian rug. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 30c; ½ oz. 50c; ½ oz. 90c.

ORANGE KING. Rich orange; the true California Poppy. Per pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 15c; ½ oz. 25c.

POPPY. Annual Double Shirley Poppies. Begonia flowered; mostly shades of shell and flesh pink, delicate rose and salmon pink of entrancing beauty, like a full blown begonia. Height, 2½ feet. Choicest mixture. Per pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. (which is a great plenty) 25c.

Shirley Poppy, Single. 2½ feet. Choicest mixture. Per pkt. 10e; ½ oz. 20c.

PHACELIA Campanularia. Most beautiful deep blue flowers like a gentian; 6 inches. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; ½ oz. 35c.

### **PANSY**

Only the very best seed will give you superior big flowers. Sow the seed early in the fall if possible in order to obtain large plants by the late fall or sow very early in spring.

There are cheaper pansy seeds to be had but it truly pays to buy the best in pansies; they cost more to produce. Why waste your time and effort in growing small, inferior sorts?

The pansy seed we offer below is the VERY BEST to be had and can be depended upon to give the highest satisfaction and greatest joy.

SUPER SWISS MASTODON MIXED (by Steels). The world's finest pansy seed. Huge jewels of velvet and red and gold with many variations.

CORONATION GOLD. The largest and finest golden yellow with lightly ruffled edges. An award of merit in All-America selections

GRAND DUKE MICHEL. The largest all-white pansy.

GOLDEN GATE. A beautiful, huge, golden yellow with a dark center

MADAME STEELE. Eiks' purple; immense blooms. A perfect self. Whole pkt.  $40c; \frac{1}{2}$  pkt.  $25c; \frac{1}{16}$  oz. 80c.

SWISS ALPENGLOW. Rich garnet shades.

SWISS RHEINGOLD. Golden blotched deep brown. All huge circular flowers; long blooming season.

SWISS THUNER "SEA-BLUE". The most beautiful shade of blue we have ever seen. Make huge plants with long stems.

The price of all pansy seed offered above, with the exception of "Madame Steele Elk's Purple", which is 40c for a whole pack and 25c for ½ pkt. and 80c for 1/16 oz.. The price of all others is 50c for a whole pkt. and 25c for ½ pkt.; 1/16 oz. \$1.00. A whole pkt. contains approx. 200 seeds and ½ pkt. approx. 100 seeds. Please order plainly, wholes or halves.

### PHLOX DRUMMONDI GIGANTEA

A new strain of Phlox Drummondi with flowers an inch and a quarter to an inch and a half in diameter. The Art Shades have a most wonderful range of color in soft art shades. The colors range as follows: Salmon with white eye, deep salmon with cream eye, Appleblossom, soft rose with white eye, light blue with white eye, pale violet with white eye, light mauve with cream eye, rose with white eye and many other pleasing art shades.

The soft colors blended together make a most beautiful mixture and a coolr combination never before seen in annual Phlox. Plants about 9 inches high.

Art Shades. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 35c; 1/8 oz. 60c.

Rosy Morn. A bright color combination of deep rose pink with a white eye. Selected from the Art Shades.

**Salmon Glory.** A deep salmon with cream eye. Also selected from the Art Shades.

Red Glory. (Novelty) A brilliant red with a large creamy white eye: the brightest color eyer seen in Phlox. Florets are very large and if well grown will be as large as a half dollar.

Price of Red Glory, Rosy Morn and Salmon Glory is 25c per pkt; 1/16 oz. 50c.

SALPIGLOSSIS. Sutton's Large-Flowered Chelsea Hybrids. Gold veined; velvety-red, rich purple;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet. All mixed. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

### ANNUAL SCABIOSA (Pincushion Flower) 3 ft.

IMPERIAL GIANTS "BLUE MOON". Very large, fully double flowers, deep lavender blue, strong wiry stems, excellent cut flowers. Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 25e; ½ oz. 40e; ½ oz. 75c.

SCABIOSA, LARGE FLOWERED. Height 3 feet-

Azure Fairy. Azure blue.

Peach Blossom. Pure pink.

Shasta Improved. Pure white.

The above per pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c; ¼ oz. 25c; mixed or straight. "Rosette". New. Deep rose suffused salmon. Very beautiful. Flowers are extra large, stems long and stiff. Per pkt. for "Rosette", 15c; ¼ oz. 25c.

Sow seeds as early as possible; in Northern sections in cold frames so as to get early plants. They do best in the early summer, disliking hot summer days. Good garden soil and full sun.

### STOCKS (Ten Weeks Mammoth Flowered)

Ten Weeks Stocks are so named because they bloom in 10 weeks after planting the seed.

Excellent either for spring or fall sowing, grow to a great size with numerous spikes of bloom. Height 1 ft.

BEAUTY OF NICE. Delicate shade of flesh pink, early flowering.

CANARY YELLOW. Beautiful clear canary yellow.

LIGHT BLUE. A fine light blue.

MONT BLANC. Large pure white.

NUIT D'ETE (Summer Night). Rich royal purple; highly commended.

ROSE OF NICE. Beautiful rosy-mauve, a distinct and elegant shade.

Seed of any of these named varieties, per pkt, 15c straight. 1 pkt. of each of the six varieties, 75c; 1/16 oz. 30c. A grand mixture with a high percentage of doubles, pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 30c; 1/8 oz. 50c.

SPECIAL NOTICE: A large percentage of DOUBLES can be expected but some single blossoms must be expected but these are very lovely and useful for cut flowers.

SNOWDRIFT. Very early flowering and produces many side stems, each thickly set with blooms of pure snowy-white. Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society. Per pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 35c.



STOCK SUPER GIANT "IMPERIAL"

STOCK, SUPER GIANT IMPERIAL. (Novelty 1939). This type grows 3 feet tall, is base branching; each plant producing 12 to 15 huge flower spikes. The individual flowers measure 2 inches or more in diameter. When in full bloom, each spike will have from 40 to 50 florets blooming at the same time.

BLUSH PINK.

DARK BLUE.

FIERY RED.

ROSE CHARM. A beautiful rich deep rose.

ROSELIGHT. Rose-pink.

Per pkt. 20c, 3 for 50c. (The 5 colors, 90c.) 1/16 oz. of any one color, or mixed, 50c.

### LARGE-FLOWERING WINTER OR BROMPTON STOCK

A famous magnificent group, 1½ to 2 ft. high; will bloom at Christmas outside in milder climates if sown in the early part of the summer—a hardy biennial. You have missed a fine thing if you have never grown the BROMPTON STOCK.

FINEST BROMPTON MIXED: Per pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 50c.

VIRGINIA STOCK. Mixed Varieties. Most charming effect. 6 inches. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 25c. These charming annuals for edgings and beds should be better known.

VERBENAS. Giant Verbenas Best Mixed. 1 ft. Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 30c; ½ oz. 50c; ½ oz. 85c; ½ oz. \$1.50.

#### VISCARIA—ROSE OF HEAVEN

This hardy annual was the choice of Western seedsmen for THE FLOWER-OF-THE-MONTH honors in the October issue of "SUNSET". The plants, 6 to 8 inches in height, are extremely free flowering and brilliant; the flowers look like single pinks and the plants bloom all summer long.

A lovely border plant.

VISCARIA. BLUE PEARL and ROSE GEM bright rose. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 20c.

WALLFLOWERS (Annual).

Single Varieties in mixture. Pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 25c.

Double "Early Wonder" of extra choice mixed. Blooms within 90 days. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 25c.

### ZINNIA (California Giant Dahlia Flowered)

The finest of all strains. 2½ feet.

CRIMSON MONARCH. Deep crimson, flowers very large.

DESERT GOLD, CROWN O' GOLD. Beautiful deep golden yellow shades.

DREAM. Deep rosy lavender.

EXQUISITE. Light rose, deep rose center.

ILLUMINATION. Deep rose self.

LUMINOSA. Bright deep pink.

OLD GOLD. Deep and lighter shades of old gold.

ORIOLE. An immense orange and gold bi-color.

POLAR BEAR. Large creamy white.

WILL ROGERS. Loveliest and most brilliant scarlet red.

ANY OF THE ABOVE NAMED VARIETIES, Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; any 3 for 35c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. of any one named variety (not in mixture) 40c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 75c; 1 oz. \$1.25.

ONE EACH OF 10 NAMED VARIETIES, \$1.25.

Special Gold Medal Mixture of the Above and Several Other Choice Named Varieties. not a Field Run Mixture, Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; ¼ oz. 35c; ½ oz. 65c; 1 oz. \$1.25.

LILLIPUT or MIGNON ZINNIAS. Small, button-like fully double flowers of gorgeous colors. Long stems for cutting and basket work if heavily manured. 1½ ft.

Rosebud. A lovely rose-pink.

Pink Gem. Deep pink.

Salmon Gem. Salmon rose.

Scarlet Gem.

Golden Gem. Golden orange.

Any or in Mixture, per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c.

LILLIPUT "TOM THUMB". Plants 4 to 6 inches, covered with well formed flowers; colors range through the red, orange, yellow, pink, rose and other pastel shades. Excellent for pot plant and border use.

Finest Mixture, 1/16 oz. 15c; 1/8 oz. 25c; 1/2 oz. 85c.

ZINNIA FANTASY MIXED. New chrysanthemum-like Zinnias of a smaller flowering and more graceful appearance than the popular giant flowered varieties. The rounded flowers are composed of a mass of shaggy ray-like petals which give a delicate and refined appearance to the medium sized double flowers. The color ranges from the brightest shades of reds and orange to the popular pastel pinks and beautiful creams. Seeds: Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; ¼ oz. 40c; ½ oz. 75c; 1 oz. \$1.40.

### NOVELTY. "SUPER CROWN O'GOLD." ZINNIAS

SUPER CROWN OF GOLD, Pastel Tints. The finest large-flowered Zinnia, with large well formed flowers. Contains a wide range of pastel shades, including soft yellow, old gold, light pink, various shades of salmon, peach, and buff, cerise salmon. white, and cream, each petal overlaid at the base with deep golden yellow. Flowers are borne profusely throughout the season on strong, robust plants. Mixed shades. Fkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 20c; ½ oz. 35c; ½ oz. 50c.



HOWARD'S NEW GIANT CRESTED ZINNIAS

HOWARD'S GIANT CRESTED. Striking new large flowered CRESTED ZINNIAS; they are very charming flowers; fine for cutting. Not all will come true to type. A fine novelty. Pkt. 20c; 1/8 oz. 35c; 1/4 oz. 60c.

## A LIST OF CHARMING ANNUALS SUITABLE FOR THE ALPINE GARDEN

Annuals here are not out of place; on the contrary, they fill an urgent want for bright blossoms, when the run of the true perennial rock plants are out of bloom, and they do not in the least interfere with your rock plants.

Give any or all of these suitable annuals a trial in your Alpine garden this season and you will never do without them again.

NEMESIAS. Especially the blue Forget-Me-Not-like type.

VISCARIA. Rose pink and blue; both lovely colors.

NEMOPHILA. Especially the baby-blue-eye.

PHAECELIA. A rich deep blue.

Leptosiphon, Limnanthes Douglasi, Linum Rubrum, The Charming Annual Flax, and even the dwarf Tom Thumb Nasturtiums, are lovely subjects and very showy.

### GET THIS VALUABLE BOOKLET-Missouri Botanical Garden Bulletin, entitled "GROWING PLANTS FROM SEEDS"

Handsomely illustrated with 29 photographs, showing the whole process of sowing seeds to the transplanting of the seedlings. It is by far the best bulletin on the subject we have ever seen. Through the courtesy of the Botanical Garden, we were given special permission to reprint this bulletin. Price 15c. Ask for it. It is sent free with all seed orders amounting to \$1.50 or more, if asked for with the order. Mailed separate please, remit 15c. The booklet is well worth 25c.

Brooklyn Botanical Gardens Leaflets. Concise, valuable hints on The Planting and Cultivation of Annuals. Ask for Bulletin No. 6; price 5c. Free with all seed orders amounting to \$1.50 up, if asked for with the order. If mailed separate, 5c. Bulletin No. 7 is out of print.



### BURPEE'S SWEET PEAS

The finest strain in existence. Extra vigor, producing flowers of giant size on long stems in exquisite colors with many sprays of four to a stem if grown right.

#### GIANT RUFFLED SWEET PEAS

Waved and ruffled, the long-stemmed blooms have the appearance of double flowers. In 6 SEPARATE COLORS: Crimson, Blue, Salmon-Pink, Rose Pink, Primrose, Salmon-Cerise. Per pkt. 10c; per oz. 40c, either separate colors or in Mixture of the above and other desirable colors. All postpaid. (1 oz. to 25 ft. row).

### TWELVE GLORIOUS GIANT SPENCERS

Amethyst, bright, clear blue, exceptionally large. Bonnie Lassie, salmon-pink on cream. Brilliant Rose, tyrian rose. Fiery Cross, bright orange-cerise. Gigantic, white. Gloria, cream, picott edged rose. Pinkie, large rose pink. Powerscourt, large lavender. Red Boy, pure rich crimson, long stems, vigorous. Tangerine Improved, rich orange. The Admiral, dark violet blue. Welcome, dazzling scarlet.

The above Giant Spencers are particularly recommended for summer blooming and will thrive in any climate where sweet peas will grow. Many of the flowers are ruffled and wavy and the fine assortment of color shades makes them an excellent assortment for the home garden, and for cut flowers.

All the above varieties priced at 10c per pkt. or 40c per oz., postpaid. (1 oz. to 25 ft.) All 12 for \$1.00.

Giant Spencers Mixed. A fine mixture of strong growers and desirable varieties. Per pkt.  $10c; 1 \text{ oz. } 30c; \frac{1}{4} \text{ lb. } 90c.$ 

### EARLY FLOWERING SPENCER SWEET PEAS

In some localities where other sweet peas suffer from hot weather, many gardeners are now planting the EARLY SWEET PEAS with much success. These are also popular in frost-free sections. We offer 12 colors: Rose-pink, lavender, pink and white, blue, cream, crimson-red, scarlet, white, rosy purple, salmon pink, salmon-cerise and rose. These are sold only in a well blended mixture. Per pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c; 1 oz. 65c, postpaid.

## General List of Perennial Plants

FOR SPRING PLANTING—READY FROM FEBRUARY ON.
NO PLANT ORDERS ARE SOLICITED FOR LESS
THAN \$1.50 UNLESS YOU ADD 25c FOR
PACKING AND POSTAGE.

No pant shipments by express to British Columbia or Alaska during the "duration". Mail shipments only, which have to be PREPAID at the rate of 25c per pound. Don't overlook it, please.

### ASTER FRIKARTI "WONDER OF STAFFA"

One of the most beautiful perennials known. Lavender-blue flowers from 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches across, produced from June until the middle of November. The plant does exceedingly well in light shade and comes to perfection in full sun. There are no other plants which bloom so persistently over so long a period—not just a bloom or two but a constant rich display of flowers is kept up the entire summer. Flowers are excellent for cutting. It may also be grown in pots and forced into bloom in a greenhouse during the winter. SPRING delivery only, not in the fall.

Large 2-year-old field grown clumps 50c each postpaid East of the Rocky Mountains; same West of the Rocky Mountains 40c each, postpaid.

KING GEORGE. The best, by far, of all dwarf perennial Asters. Height 24 inches. Glorious hortense violet flowers of huge size in great and prolonged profusion in the late summer. Good for the rockery or the perennial border. Strong plants in the spring only. 35c each, postpaid.

### ASTILBE (Spirea)

Beautiful hardy garden perennials with large flower trusses; prefer rich, moist soil. Most attractive in the garden and a fine cut flower. Spring or fall delivery.

- A. PINK PEARL. A delicate salmon-pink. Height about 3 feet with attractive foliage. A beautiful attractive hardy plant for any garden; they also force well indoors. Strong blooming size plants. 35c and 50c each, postpaid.
- ASTILBE (SPIREA) White Pearl. A delicate white, flushed light pink. Height 3 ft. with attractive foliage; a beautiful plant for any garden. Strong blooming sized plants. 25c and 40c each, postpaid.

### COLUMBINE

- COLUMBINE SEEDLINGS. The very best assortment of long spurred Dobbie's Hybrids in beautiful colors. 60c and 90c per dozen, according to size. (Quality the same; all will bloom in 1943.) Postpaid. Not less than 1 DOZ. sold. Owing to their early growth here, no shipments after April.
- C. "CRIMSON STAR". The color of our Crimson Star Aquilegia is very fine and the percentage of true colors is very unusual, owing to an X-ray treatment of nearly a million R's we gave the original seeds some years ago. You will get a few off colors; we get some remarkably beautiful pink shades now and then. Seedling plants in their second year (they do not bloom the first year) but all will bloom this, their second year (1943). 90c per doz. There will be a small lot at 75c per dozen. No long distance shipments after April 1st.

### **DELPHINIUMS**

PLEASE NOTE: Baby Delphinium Seedlings will not be ready for shipment this spring until middle or late MAY.

Advanced seedlings and clumps can be sent off any time but not later than April 15, as they will be too far grown for safe shipment. Nearby alright until last of April.

- PUDOR'S PEDIGREED PRIZE WINNER STRAIN. BABY SEEDLINGS. Delivery in May. 85c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$2.40. postpaid. Special handling 15c extra. Also for sale this fall.
- PUDOR'S MUCH "ADVANCED" SEEDLINGS that bloomed already last year, 25c each, \$2.50 per doz., postpaid. Very few in stock this spring; an abundance in FALL (last of August to October 1st). This size is ready from February on. When this size has been sold out this spring, may we make delivery around September 1st? Please say so in your order.

DREAM SEEDLINGS. None in stock. Seeds only.

### PUDOR'S VELVETY BLACK-EYED WHITE DELPHINIUMS.

We are offering some small seedlings this spring (delivery about middle of May, NOT BEFORE). Admirers of these stunning white Delphiniums will welcome this new offering. (Seeds offered in seed section.) The size and color of these plants will vary—some will have small black eyes or centers, some very large, real velvety-black; there might be some that will have white centers, since these Black-eyed whites are very intricate hybrids. In many cases it will require the second year before the black eyes will show up to their full beauty.

These small seedlings will with proper care after you plant them in your garden, bloom this coming fall and the price is \$1.50 per doz., and not less than a dozen are sold. You will need that many. IN THE FALL, if all goes well, we will have larger plants at 25c each, with NO GUARANTEE as to their colors. Please don't order just two or three, as many of the plants will not have bloomed in our nursery row this summer. Those that have and show a black bee will be 40c each; extra fine plants with very large black bees, 60c each. These two last mentioned will have passed the seedling stage. They will make large clumps in 1944.

DELPHINIUM CLUMPS from our original beautiful "DREAM" variety, 2-year-old field-grown clumps that will give a wealth of blooms this summer. "DREAM" is an early variety producing beautiful 3-inch double blue and mauve blossoms with a small white bee; a profuse bloomer which repeats its free blossom habit again in the early fall. \$1.00 each, postpaid; 12 for \$10.00, by express, charges collect 6 for \$6.00, postpaid. Delivery not later than March 20th and again the coming August-September.

SPECIAL NOTICE: It is suggested that you mail your order for these clumps in January or February the latest, so we may take steps to hold the plants back for a later delivery.

- CALIFORNIA PACIFIC "BLUE JAY" STRAIN. All we will have in the spring will be small seedlings for May delivery (they will bloom this fall) at 85c a dozen. postpaid; \$2.50 for 3 dozen, postpaid, incl. special handling. In the fall there will be small seedlings at the same price and in addition ADVANCED SEEDLINGS at \$1.50 per doz., and still larger ones at 25c each, \$2.50 per doz. These will make quite large clumps the following season and for fall planting in the north and east these larger ones are really more recommended than the small seedlings, although these will winter alright, if planted in a cold frame or otherwise protected.
- CALIFORNIA PACIFIC "WHITE GALAHAD" STRAIN. The most beautiful double pure white Delphiniums we have: 2½ to 3 inch blossoms with a white bee. Beautiful stalks for parties and weddings. SMALL CLUMPS that have bloomed in 1942, 35c each (not less than 2 sold), \$3.50 per doz., postpaid.

NO SMALL SEEDLINGS IN THE SPRING. FOR FALL DELIVERY: Small seedlings, 90c per doz., nostpaid. Advanced seedlings at \$1.50 per doz., and small CLUMPS at 25c each, straight. PLEASE NOTE: There is a possibility that there still crops up now and then a blue one amongst these whites, but they are always very fine and well worth the price you paid.

**BELLA DONNA SPECIES.** These do not grow as tall as the hybrids, are easier grown and are more suitable for cut flowers. Especially suitable for warmer regions where the hybrids prove difficult. We offer 3 vareities:

Pudor's Sapphire. A beautiful brilliant clear sapphire-blue: large blossoms on medium sized graceful stalks (no staking). We will have a very small quantity of small clumps at 25c each straight, postpaid. up to April 1st. IN THE FALL we offer the SMALL SEEDLINGS at 60c a doz., and 3 doz. for \$1.75. nostpaid. And in addition. ADVANCED SEEDLINGS at \$1.50 a dozen; larger ones at 25c each, postpaid.

"Bellamosum." The handsome dark blue variety with a small white bee. Beautiful spikes for cutting. Only SMALL SEED-LINGS for MAY DELIVERY at 50c a dozen, postpaid. (They will bloom this summer.) FOR FALL SALES: Small seedlings at same price and advanced seedlings at \$1.50 per doz.; larger ones at 25c each.

Bella Donna Improved "Cliveden Beauty". Clear light blue large flowered and a strong grower. SMALL SEEDLINGS ONLY during May. 50c per doz., postpaid. IN THE FALL. SMALL SEEDLINGS at 50c a doz. ADVANCED SEEDLINGS at \$1.50 per doz. SMALL CLUMPS at 25c each, postpaid.

#### PERENNIAL LUPINS

(For Fall Delivery Only)

ENGLISH NAMED HYBRIDS in assortment of pink shades, red. purple, deep blue, apricot shades. 50e for a strong root that will make a large bush next year.

Apricot and Red Shades, 75c each.

Seedlings in Mixture, 75c. We may have these in MAY, if they do not winter-kill; will certainly have them in the FALL.

RUSSELL LUPINS. We have a wonderful collection of these fine Lupins, which we have grown and re-selected for a number of years. 75c for a strong root (this Fall) in assorted colors; selected bi-colors 90c.

Mixed Seedlings, 90c per doz.

PLEASE NOTE: Lupins will not thrive everywhere; they are perfectly hardy but in some localities they simply refuse to grow. We are not to blame if they refuse to grow in your garden.



RUSSELL LUPINS

POLYANTHUS, HARDY BUNCH PRIMROSES. Early spring flowering hardy perennials. English Giant Supreme Monarch Strain.

Strong Blooming Size Plants in Mixture in two sizes: 20c and 35c each; \$2.00 and \$3.50 per doz., postpaid. We can fill orders from February 1st on, weather permitting.

DOUBLE LAVENDER. A pure lavender, fully double, flowers on single stems. A lovely Primrose. 35c each.



### ORIENTAL POPPIES

(Only for August and September)

PERRY'S & BARR'S WHITE. Sating white with maroon blotches at base of petals. 35c each root; 3 for \$1.00. Extra large roots, 50c.

WUNDERKIND (Wonder Child). A super poppy—a gem of gems, of a color that defies description—a cerise, or a brilliant carmine pink with a 10-inch flower on a strong 3-foot stem. Does not fade in the sun, but remains attractive throughout its life. 50c for a strong blooming division.

PUDOR'S CHERRY RED. A most beautiful pure, clear cherryred, without a trace of orange-scarlet; it's an outstanding rare color and was selected from many year's seedlings. We first called this poppy "Scarletta", which was misleading, since it has no trace of scarlet. A strong root for 75c.

**SNOW FLAME** (Patented). The lower half of the flower is pure white, the upper half a flame-orange, a brilliant effect. A stronger grower. **Each 50c.** 

All Oriental Poppies will produce smaller flowers the first year but when well established by the second year they will have grown into big clumps producing dozens of the largest flowers.

Some varieties have flowers bigger than a saucer.

Please remember that we cannot afford to make shipments of plants by mail, unless the order amount to at least \$1.50 (unless you pay 25c extra) and they must all be sent in one shipment. If conditions necessitate that 2 or 3 separate shipments at different times have to be made of the various plants that you order, even so the whole order amounts to \$1.50, it will cost you 25c extra for EACH SEPARATE SHIPMENT. It's the trouble and care and extra labor and mailing charge for each shipment which involves the extra cost.

### NOVELTY VERY DOUBLE SHASTA DAISIES

We have tried out three named varieties, Chiffon, Mt. Shasta and Esther Reed. We have discarded Esther Reed as being too temperamental and not hardy in our climate, which is mild enough. Lost them during the winter. Chiffon and Mt. Shasta are beautiful; large double white blooms like a large Pyrethrum. It is semi-double with a yellow center. Stems 15 to 18 inches.

CHIFFON is a continued summer bloomer and sells for 35c a plant: 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

MT SHASTA is a gem. Very beautiful, free bloomer and has with us the valuable habit of BLOOMING TWICE; the second time in the late summer fully as plentifully as in the spring. Sturdy and erect stems 20 to 24 inches long. Price per blooming size plant, 40c each. Mt. Shasta is fully double. No cushion or center visible, while Chiffon is semi-double with a visible golden-yellow center.

NOTICE. No seeds are available of either of these two named varieties. From our DIENER'S DOUBLE SHASTA DAISY SEEDS you will raise some very fine doubles. See under seed section.

TROLLIUS (Globe Flower) "Ledebouri Golden Queen. Rich golden color, near orange with deep long orange petals in the center; blooms twice a year if seed is not allowed to form. Height 3 feet; beautiful, hardy and very floriferous. Large individual clumps 40c each; divisions that will bloom well this spring, 25c each. This is an early spring bloomer and must be planted EARLY.

TROLLIUS—EUROPEAN GLOBE FLOWER. Color yellow and orange large, round, globular flowers in spring and again in late summer. Height 2 to 3 fect. Rich moist soil. A magnificent plant. Large individual clumps, 40c each; divisions that will bloom well. 25c each. Plants must be divided every three years.

VIOLAS "MAGGIE MOTT". Largest flowers, deliciously scented of a heliotrope-blue; most prolific bloomers. Blooming size plants, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen. This variety produces no seed.

### ORNAMENTAL INDIAN SQUAW CORN

AVAVAVAVV

Delightful, decorative for porch or fireplace.

COLORS: Red. black yellow, blue, purple and orange kernels.

 $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 10e; 1 oz. 15e;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30e;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 50e.



## ORNAMENTAL GOURDS

Annual Climber, 6-10 ft.

Rapid growing with ornamental foliage and interesting and odd-shaped fruit. It is becoming very popular for table and window decorations at Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Small Sorts Mixed. Contains only the most desirable and colorful small-fruited kinds. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 20c; ½ oz. 30c; per oz. 50c.

Large Sorts Mixed. All large-fruited kinds, such as Dipper, Calabash, Giant Bottle, etc. Prices same as above.





INDIAN CORN AND GOURDS



### UNWIN'S ENGLISH MIGNON OR CHARM DAHLIAS

The form of flowers are semi-double but a few single and fully doubles are produced. The hybrids are very precocious, blooming 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  months from the time of sowing. They are extraordinarily free, the blooms being thrown up on strong stems well above the foliage. Rarely exceeding 24 inches in height, they do not require stakes, and may be planted as closely as 18 to 20 inches apart. Given the same treatment, they are easier to raise from seeds than Asters or Stocks. We believe the color range to be wider than in any other type of Dahlia.

SEEDS, per pkt. of about 75 seeds, 25c; 1/8 oz. 60c; 1/4 oz. \$1.00.

TUBERS. Unwin's Hybrid Charm Dahlias. Dellghtful Mignon Dahlias: beautiful single and semi-double dwarf Dahlias; good keepers and charming for bouquets or house decoration. Six different varieties for \$1.50 prepaid; \$2.75 per doz.

All our Mignon Charm Dahlias make excellent cut flowers for house decoration, lasting for many days. In this they differ from the ordinary Dahlias. Please bear in mind that the tubers from these Mignon or Charm Dahlias are small, much smaller than the ordinary Dahlias. Customers complain sometimes about the tubers being so small.

LITTLE PINK LADY. A charming semi-double light pink Mignon Dahlia with fluted petals with yellow center. Height, 1½ to 2 feet. Three tubers for \$1.00; each 35c.



### THE GORGEOUS IRIS KAEMPFERI (Oriental Iris)

The months of February, March and April are good months for planting and again during August and September (not later). They require rich soil (no Bonemeal and no Lime), sun or half shade and abundant supply of water just before and during their blooming period. They will not thrive in poor, thin, sandy soil. A favorite spot for them in Japan is along side brooks or on the margins of pools, but never in water, though you can take up a blooming plant, pot it, and float it in your pool while the plant is in bloom, later planting it back in its place.

### WE OFFER BOTH FOR SPRING AND FALL PLANTING

- **DATEDOGU.** Rich claret-red with orange blotches surrounded with a blue halo radiating out into elegant lines; standards light claret and white, petaloid stigmas white tipped and border pale claret; very large flower. Growth medium. Single (3 petals).
- HINODE-SAKURA (Cherry flower at Dawn). Grayish pink with blue veins, yellow blotches; petaloid stigmas light purple. A stunning 6 petals double flower.
- **HOPI GIRL.** (Formerly Pudor's seedling 190/200.) Three immense petals of rich royal purple.
- KASUGANO. Six petalled double flower. Delicate red-lilac with lilac halo surrounding yellow blotches and radiating out into feathers and pencilings; petaloid stigmas violet, stained gray. An exquisite flower.
- **KONGO-SAN.** Six petalled double flower. Deep blue overlaid with dark purple with deeper blue veins radiating; orange blotches; petaloid stigmas purple.
- KAMAKURA-BENI. Six petals of a dark crimson; very large flower.
- KIMI-GA-SODE. A very large bright pure deep blue. A rare beauty. Price of this one, 75c.
- KURO-KUMO. Six petalled double flowers. Purple overlaid with dark blue, yellow blotches; stigmas dark blue bordered purple.
- MAHOGANY. Six petalled double flowers. A very dark rich mahogany-red color; one of the best dependable varieties.
- MORNING MIST. Immense white crinkled, creped petals with the slightest breath of light blue tint. Always a sell-out.

- MATA HARI (Eye of the Morning). We listed this two or three years ago, as Pudor's PINK BEAUTY. It is one of Mr. Pudor's outstanding seedlings. Some years ago, when that well known English painter of flowers, Miss Edith Walker, was in this country, she selected this Iris as her favorite and painted a beautiful water color of it. We have now again a small stock of it, and offer it as long as the supply lasts. The color is a most delicate blush pink. You can't go wrong on these two outstanding varieties, MORNING MIST and MATA HARI.
- MIRANDA. (A new seedling by Pudor.) A large six-petalled orchid-pink beauty, clearer pink than NORMA and a more vigorous grower with an abundance of dark green, healthy foliage. Price for this, 75c a clump.
- NORMA. Six petalled large double flowers. This variety is always the cynosure of all eyes. An exquisite silky lavenderpink with a clear blue halo surrounding a golden star in the center. One of the best pinks, a rare color in this iris specie. A strong grower and liberal blomer.
- **PO-LA-MA-NA.** (Butterfly Girl, Indian.) Formerly listed as Pudor's Seedling No. 5. A six-petalled double beauty of a rich velvety purple with a golden center; comes sometimes extremely double.
- **SHIRATAKI** (White Waterfall). Six immense pure white petals; a very beautiful well-known iris.
- **SOFU-NO-KOI.** White splashed, blotched and speckled sky-blue; primrose blotches radiating into the petals; petaloid stigmas creamy-white, tipped and margined violet. Double, 6 petals. One of the most beautiful we grow.
- YOMONO-UNI. An imported, 6 petalled double beauty. Beautiful light porcelain-blue with darker blue veining; an exquisite flower. Rare. Price of this one is 75c.

## THE FOLLOWING FOR FALL DELIVERY (Not This Spring) NAMED VARIETIES

- AYASI. (Sgl.) Crimson crinkled petals, veined white with large white center surrounding gold bar. Styles crimson. We con sider this variety one of our most unusual and best.
- **BEYA.** A beautiful, large, stunning flower. Pale lavender blotched and veined deeper purple, getting bluer towards the center with bright clear yellow radiating centers; petaloids white edged purple. Single (3 petals).
- **KON-PEKI.** A tall lavender-blue, radiating into deep purplish blue veins; petaloid stigmas purple. Six beautiful petals.
- NANDA. This is an immense iris with 6 petals of a color combination hard to describe. It was brought over from the land of the Rising Sun some years ago by a Japanese gardener and grew in his yard near Seattle for some years and was discovered by us two years ago. We have given it the name of NANDA, the goddess residing on Nanda Devi, the 25,600 foot Himalayan mountain. Price of this one, 75c a clump.
- Prices of Japanese Iris except where listed at a higher price. 50c for a clump with two well developed fans, each one of which should produce a flower stalk the first year, if grown well. This price is for all points West of the Rockies (Texas excluded). East of the Rocky Mountains the price is 75c, post-paid (including Texas). We advise express shipment. For large orders, say from a dozen up, we advise express shipment. We can send you larger plants. Full cultural directions with all orders.

### RARE IRIS KAEMPFERI "HIGO"

Immense Flowers having CREPED PETALS.

- SHIVEN. Beautiful double velvety purple flowers attaining to 12 inches across. Six creped petals.
- SHIMEI-NO-AKI. Deep, porcelain-blue with white veins. Six creped petals to 12 inches across.
- **SEKIYO.** Beautiful deep scarlet, white at the base; six creped petals to 12 inches across.
- The above are not available until this fall. Supply very limited. Price, \$1.50 each plant.

These "Higo" Iris Kaempferi have been very jealously guarded in the lands of the Mikado. For several years we have tried to buy the seeds, but to no avail, and finally three years ago we succeeded in importing five of the best specially selected varieties, of which we have now a small stock growing of three varieties, one having been lost, and one huge snow-white not for sale yet.

SOME FEW SEEDS of the above possibly available in the fall at 50c a package. Subject to crop.

## Hardy Garden Chrysanthemums

AUGUST, SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER FLOWERING

The cultivation of these 'Mums is simple; plant them in a rich well-drained piece of ground, setting out the plants a foot apart and pinching them once or twice during the months of May or June. They will branch out and make beautiful bushes and give the cultivator more return for the labor expended than any plant in the garden. There is a place for this type of 'Mum in every garden in America, whether one has greenhouses, frames, or grows them in the open garden.

### STURDY FIELD GROWN PLANTS-NOT ROOTED GREENHOUSE CUTTINGS . . . A BIG DIFFERENCE!

NOTE. We do not sell so-called "Divided" Clumps nor Whole Clumps. Such are not satisfactory.

### 3 PLANTS FOR 75c; \$2.50 PER DOZEN., Plus the Postage

Plants will be ready from APRIL ON, some not until last of MAY, depending upon the season and variety

## A WORD ABOUT THE PLANTS WE WILL SEND YOU. READ IT CAREFULLY BEFORE YOU ORDER!

First of all, keep in mind that you will NOT get so-called "clumps" as you do of other perennial plants. You may divide the clumps you have from last year or the year before, into smaller clumps—the smaller the better, and succeed fairly well in the new year, provided you will use only the new growth or shoots and throw away the old woody part of the plant, but it is a well established fact, learned through many years of experience by commercial growers, that sand-rooted cuttings produce the finest blooms; these are taken in February or March. (Some late varieties can not be taken often until April, hence the late deliveries of plants of some varieties.) These cuttings are taken from the base of the parent plant, care being exercised that only the new, fresh shoots are taken without a vestige of roots of portion of the parent plant.

These small cuttings about 4 inches long are then planted in coarse sand, where they remain until well rooted; it is in this stage that they are sold by commercial growers to the trade and may be shipped thousands of miles. They are then ready to be planted in flats in good soil or right out of doors where they are to bloom, if conditions are right. It stands to reason that a small sand rooted cutting requires less time and care than one that has been transplanted once and grown on for some little time in a flat in good soil or out of doors. It is for this reason that "sand rooted cuttings" are cheaper in price than "PLANTS" that have been transplanted into soil and grown on for a couple of weeks or longer, watered and cultivated. The latter weigh more too, hence the postage is higher—they should really be sent by express for best results. So when you buy Chrysanthemums, AT LESS PRICE or HALF PRICE make sure of the age, whether they are just sand rooted cuttings out of the benches or sand flats, or whether they are once transplanted, perferably out of door grown, all ready to go with a good root system when you get them; the latter are bound to cost a little more and they are worth it. We too will send you "SAND ROOTED CUTTINGS" out of the sand for LESS and prefer it, because it will save us a world of labor, and they will grow and do well. So here is our proposition.

NOTE CAREFULLY: ONCE TRANSPLANTED REAL PLANTS ARE WHAT WE ARE OFFERING YOU AT THE PRICES QUOTED, WHICH INCLUDES THE POSTAGE TO ALL POINTS IN THE STATES OF WASHINGTON AND OREGON.

TO ALL OTHER STATES WEST OF THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS ADD 15c FOR 3 PLANTS; 25c FOR 6 PLANTS. FOR SAND ROOTED CUTTINGS, 5c LESS POSTAGE.

TO ALL POINTS EAST OF THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS. ADD 25c FOR 3 PLANTS; 35c FOR 6 PLANTS. FOR SAND ROOTED CUTTINGS 5c LESS FOR POSTAGE.

NOW IF YOU WANT STRAIGHT SAND ROOTED CUTTINGS OUT OF THE BENCH. THEY WILL BE WELL ROOTED, CAREFULLY PACKED IN MOSS AND WILL SHIP WELL. WE WILL ALLOW YOU 5 CENTS PER PLANT. IN OTHER WORDS DEDUCT FIVE CENTS FROM THE PRICE

OF ANY CHRYSANTHEMUM PRICED HEREIN. STATE PLAINLY WHICH YOU WANT, STRAIGHT SAND ROOTED CUTTINGS OR TRANSPLANTED "PLANTS".

WE WILL PAY THE POSTAGE ON ALL ORDERS FOR SAND ROOTED CUTTINGS UP TO A DOZEN PLANTS TO ANY POINT IN THE UNITED STATES. BUT OVER A DOZEN CUTTINGS ADD 15 CENTS EXTRA IF YOU LIVE WEST OF THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS (INCLUDING WASHINGTON AND OREGON) 25 CENTS IF YOU LIVE EAST OF THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS. PLEASE DO NOT FAIL TO DO SO, TO SAVE DELAY AND CORRESPONDENCE.

Note that "sand rooted cuttings" can be obtained much earlier than the transplanted ones and in MARCH and APRIL ONLY. After May 15th into June you can not get any more sand rooted cuttings, for the reason that all will have been planted outside.

We also reserve the right that AFTER MAY 15th, orders for more than 6 plants will have to be sent by express, except to Washington and Oregon, because by that time the plants will be so large and the root system so developed that we can not afford to send them by paid parcel post.

If we seem tardy to you in sending you the plants, bear in mind, that they are just as well off, or better, to keep on growing here than in your garden and there is no danger with Chrysanthemums that they might get too large for safe transplanting. Some varieties are later in development than others and require more time for growing on.

### ATTENTION!

EARLY ORDERS WILL BE APPRECIATED. Please send in your order during January or February if you can possibly do so; we begin planting our cuttings the middle of February, and we would like to know approximately how many cuttings to grow of each variety to meet the demand. All orders will be filled strictly in rotation in which they have been received; this is the only fair way.

EXPRESS SHIPMENT is highly recommended for 6 or more plants, in which case we will send you extra strong plants whenever possible. Safe arrival is guaranteed in such case (IT IS NOT BY PARCEL POST) and the special rate which applies to plants means reasonable transportation. If a plant is worth paying for, it is certainly worth paying a little more for it to reach you in the very best condition, EXPRESS ASSURES JUST THAT. Such shipments are not prepaid.

### FREE BULLETIN

A short thesis on the care and growing of Chrysanthemums with explicit directions for growing exhibition specimens through disbudding and special treatment, will be sent with each order FOR 6 PLANTS OR MORE.

## Hardy Garden Varieties

Three for 75c; \$2.50 per dozen (postage extra).

- ALADDIN. A wonderful new bright, copper-bronze color with an overlay of orange-apricot shade. From August on until frost. Frost resistant.
- BARBARA CUMMING. Same as YELLOW NORMANDIE.
- BRONZE BUTTERCUP EARLY. Very large incurving bronze and yellow flowers. Begins to bloom in August, and October still finds it full of bloom. A grand variety either disbudded or in sprays. Height, 3 feet.
- CALIPH. An intense oxblood-red, with a rich velvety sheen, or glow. Stands out among all other Chrysanthemums of this color. Fine growing habit. Height 2½ feet.
- CLARA CURTIS. A hardy single Daisy-like salmon-pink flower of medium height; very lovely in bouquets. A most desirable plant with its dainty pink masses.
- CRIMSON SPLENDOR. A magnificent and distinct variety producing masses of rich crimson-maroon flowers, intensified with deep garnet tones, and contrasting with a prominent golden yellow center. The flowers are large, fully 4 inches in diameter, with exceptional keeping qualities. Blooms in late September.
- **DUKE OF WINDSOR.** This is the same as LUSTRE, LAVENDER LUSTRE; see under same.
- EARLY WONDER. Patent No. 490. It is very hardy and easy to grow. Unusually prolific, the plant being a blaze of flowers for weeks. For cutting and garden display Early Wonder is one of the outstanding hardy 'mums produced in years. Height 3 to 4 ft. Color, a delicate pink blending to peach-blossom pink when fully open. Price, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00.
- **GARNET KING.** Large f'owering of medium height. A rich dark velvety red; reflexed. A stunning flower.
- GRENADIER. An extremely free flowering variety producing masses of large single flowers in clusters. Color, a bright crimson-red with an under lying sheen of bronze and golden tint on the petal reverse. A gorgeous color combination. Flowers in September.
- GRANNY SCOVILL. A Chrysanthemum that will appeal to the connoisseur. It is a lovely, large flower, fully 4½ ins. across. and of nice fluffy form. The color a warm coral-bronze, fairly glows under artificial light. In growth it is dwarf and branching, with fine healthy foliage.
- GOLDEN SECURITY. A beautiful large, golden-yellow. Very full. Height, 2½ feet.
- HALDOONA. A large shaggy flower; extra early; a gold reverse to each petal. One of the most admired.
- INDIAN. Late flowering, very hardy variety, of medium height. Flowers are shaggy and of peculiarly pleasing coppery red shade.
- LINDY (to all appearances same as "Angelus"). Rounded balls of pure pink double flowers, 3 to 4 inches across. Most persistent free bloomer; must be disbudded to be appreciated.
- MANDARIN. Coral-salmon, copper, and bronzy gold blend to a delightful combination overspread with an irridescent glow in this splendid Chrysanthemum. The color effect is never exactly the same. Blooms 2½ inches across; height 2 feet.
- MOHAWK CHIEF. A large flowering deep red; reflexed flower of wonderful substance; medium height. Stunning when dis budded.
- MURILLO. Best shade of pink among the early hardies.
- PROSPERITY. One of the finest EARLY PINK OR DEEP LAVENDER. A decorative of medium height. A fine cut flower variety.
- QUAKER MAID. White tinged with the faintest pink, a large "reflexed" beautiful flower. A long persistent bloomer of medium height which wet weather does not affect.
- RAPTURE. A lovely medium sized double flower, combining a beautiful deep orange with a lively suffusion of bright carmine. Flowers in September. Masses of flowers. Frost resistant.

- R. MARION HATTON. Splendid deep yellow decorative pompon that flowers very freely and is one of the earliest to come into bloom. Extremely hardy. Height 1½ feet.
- RUTH CUMMING. An old reliable favorite. A very fine outdoor Chrysanthemum of rich bronzy terra-cotta color. This is a variety that is generally liked by all visitors. October 1st. Height 2½ feet. Frost resistant.
- **SENSATION.** Single yellow with every petal tipped scarlet. Very showy and reliable.
- SILVER SHEEN. An incurved, satiny pure white beauty. Extra good keeper. Height, 4 feet.
- VIVID. A very striking and effective variety, color a rosy crimson or amaranth shade; new to the earlier flowering Chrysanthemums. Blooms in September.
- WHITE SHADWICK. A large flowering semi-incurved of medium height. Lovely color, White suffused with pink. Huge flowers when disbudded.
- WHITE CHIEF. A large flowering commercial variety, semiincurved; medium height. Pure white beautifully suffused with pink. A grand cut flower and marvelous when disbudded.
- WHITE MONARCH. A pure snow white double of perfect form. October. Same as Early White Monarch.
- WILLIAM WAIT. Rich bronze with yellow reverse; huge flowers: an outstanding variety.
- YELLOW NORMANDIE. Comes into flower in mid-September and continues to produce fine sprays of bloom six weeks or longer. Its dwarf habit and luxuriant foliage endears it to all lovers of outdoor Chrysanthemums. The color is a clear light bronzy yellow. Same as Barbara Cumming.

## Early Hardy English

- Three for 75c (plus postage); \$2.50 a dozen (plus the postage).
- (Except all the "POCKETTS" and Improved W. H. WAIT, which are 30c each)
- **AUTUMN GLORY.** Beautiful early flowering, incurved flower of an intense golden-bronze with a tangerine shade in it; very prolific bloomer; one of the best of this color. Can be grown in lovely sprays or disbudded for largest specimen blooms. **25c each.**
- CONQUEROR. A gorgeous deep crimson. Early bloomer; huge disbudded. Blooms August-September. 25c each plant.
- EARLY MONARCH. In last Fall's Tacoma Chrysanthemum Show, a large basket of these glorious pure white flowers. disbudded, was a dream of beauty. Flowers are early, beautifully incurved. Height  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft.
- ELLA FRIEND. A beautiful large 6 inch exhibition flower, salmon fawn color with a gold reverse. Extra good stem and foliage. Height 4 ft. August-September. 30c a plant.
- FREDA. Deep shell pink; a beauty. Very large blooms on stiff upright stems. Tall. Early flowering. 25c each.
- H. SUTCLIFFE. A beautiful deep golden-yellow incurved flower; its beauty is truly thrilling. Blooms from July onwards for weeks and weeks: when "pinched" the plant will be covered with large, beautiful flowers, lasting for two weeks when cut. Plants, each 25c.
- KING EDWARD. Beautiful large flat blooms, white with mauve or pink tinted tips. Universally liked. 25c each.
- LEDA. A fine new English variety. Large hel'otrope pink, with beautiful rolled petals on long stems. A beauty for September.
- ROSE DAY. Beautiful orchid-pink, incurved. 25c each.
- **ROSABELLA.** A fine new variety. Beautifully shaped flowers of bright rose, 7 inches across on long stiff stems, decorative, small foliage. Disbud it and you will have a grand exhibition flower.
- **SOURCE D'OR.** Pale buff orange tinted gold; a beautiful hardy decorative very full and double; beautiful sprays or may be disbudded. Height 4 ft. 25c each.

### LARGE FLOWERING AND EXHIBITION VARIETIES

- Three plants for 75c (plus the postage); \$2.50 a dozen (plus postage)
- BLAZING GOLD, A large incurved deep golden yellow, flowers very large and full. Quite frost and rain proof. A very choice
- CARDONIA. Large deep rich yellow incurved flowers. Medium
- CHRYSOLORA. A beautiful incurved pale golden yellow flower that will take your breath. Disbud it and you will thrill.
- GOLDEN GLORY. Semi-incurved golden yellow, glorious flowers; blooms early and late; height medium. Grand for disbudding. Plants  $25\varepsilon$ .
- **GOLDEN GLOW.** A large flowering commercial variety. Incurved pale golden yellow of medium height; fine for disbudding. Early flowers. **Plants 25c.**
- GOLDEN WAVE. A glorious light golden color. Said to be a better and more reliable, earlier to mature Yellow Turner. Semi-incurved. 25c a plant.
- GOVERNOR GREEN (not General Green). A beauty, one of our favorites, A rich velvety crimson with old gold reverse; semi-incurved. Medium height. Glorious when disbudded. 25c  $_{\rm II}$
- INDIANOLA. A glorious, incurved, large flowering variety; very popular as a commercial variety; medium height; beg.ns to flower in August and keeps right on. Huge when disbudded. Color, a beautiful pale reddish bronze. Highly recommended.
- KEYSTONE. A very popular orange-broznze incurved flower. very stunning flower quite frost resistant and moisture
- LOUISA POCKETT. "I love that flower", so says the Boss. And who woudn't? Immense pure white blooms, just breathed over with the faintest touch of pink. Truly a magnificent flower when only 4 to 6 blooms allowed to the plant; on top of all it's beautifully incurved. Plants 30c each.

To get the thrill of your Chrysanthemum life you should disbud all the "POCKETTS" and for that matter all the exhibition varieties.

- LUSTRE (Lavender). To all appearance identically the same as DUKE OF WINDSOR). A tall imposing plant blooming weeks on end in early October. The attractive lavender flowers are twisted and incurved and borne in great masses; when disbudded beautiful huge flowers are the result. Plants 25c each.
- MAJESTIC. A grand exhibition variety of medium height; beautiful reflexed amber bronze.
- MAJOR EDWARD BOWES. A bright lavender rosy pink; incurved. 6 inches ordinary, huge when disbudded. 25c a plant.
- MRS. AUGUST KOCH. Very large incurved creamy bronze flowers with a buff reverse. Makes a huge flower with twisted petals. Plants 25c each.
- MRS. G. G. MASON. Large, velvety cardinal red with golden reverse, fluffy incurved flowers. Very large and showy when disbudded. Medium height, glorious.
- ROSE COCHARD. In the pink class. A glorious light lavender, incurved with large flowers; huge when disbudded; always attracts attention. A MUST HAVE. Height medium. 25c a
- SEMINOL CHIEF. Long, slender twisted petals of a beautiful bronze with a light reverse. 25c each.
- THOS. W. POCKETT. A beautiful lavender-pink with silvery reverse; rigid flower stems; one of the finest and largest pinks. Huge flowers incurved when disbudded. All POCKETTS are glorious. 30c.
- WM. TURNER. Purest snow white; immense incurved flowers when disbudded, on long stiff stems; blooms early November. So beautiful, it pays to give the late buds some protection.
- YELLOW POCKETT. A striking clear yellow; incurved of largest size, good continuous bloomer, good foliage and perfect habit. Height 3 to 3½ ft. 35c a plant.



CHRYSANTHEMUM "IMPROVED" WM. H. WAIT

- WM. H. WAITE IMPROVED. A reddish bronze sport of Wm. H. Waite but much handsomer and spectacular; if disbudded to 4 or 6 buds to the plant you will get huge glorious blossoms 8 inches in diameter, 24 inches in circumference. Select buds August 1st to mature middle of October. See photo of this beautiful variety. 30c.
- YELLOW TURNER. Immense light yellow incurved flowers when disbudded, o long stiff stems; blooms early November in the garden; it pays to give all the "Turners" a little protection while in bud, better grow them in a lath or cloth house.

## Popular Cushion Chrysanthemums

This Azalea type of Chrysanthemum has become very popin Azarea type of Chrysanthemum has become very popular within the past few years. The plants begin to flower early in August and continue to do so throughout the fall months. They are low growing, and bushy in type. Never attaining a height of over 15 inches, but are very showy in places where color is desired in the early fall when all other flowers are beginning to wane.

- PINK CUSHION (Amelia). The one so widely advertised as the Azalea Flowering Cushion. Smothered with double pink flowers from July to October.
- YELLOW CUSHION. Pure golden yellow brilliant flower.
- BRONZE CUSHION. Deep bronze flowers turning to bronzy coppery yellow Same as King Cushion.

  KING CUSHION. Same as Bronze Cushion.
- Price of any of the above Cushions, 20c each. No reductions for sand rooted cuttings.
- RED CUSHION. Improved form. This is the new RED Cushion in its striking distinctly different red tone. It is one of the hardiest mums and will endure hard frosts. Per plant, 35c.
- HARVEST GOLD. A fine new golden yellow Cushion, the best type yet produced. Flowers from August to frost. Smothered with blooms. Price, 25c.

## Most Desirable Korean Chrysanthemums

PLEASE DO NOT OMIT TO ADD THE POSTAGE TO YOUR CHRYSANTHEMUM ORDER. RATES EXPLAINED AT THE BEGINNING AND THE END OF THE CHRYSANTHEMUM SECTION.

This new race of hardy chrysanthemums is especially welcome in the colder regions because of their early blooming character and extreme hardiness. They are wonderfully profuse bloomers and come in an endless array of pastel shades which defy accurate description. As a cut flower they simply have no superior and in the garden their gay colors delight us long after everything else has been destroyed by frost.

#### SEPTEMBER FLOWERING. MOST OF THEM 3 to 4 FT. TALL.

- 25c each except where noted; 3 for 75c; \$2.50 per doz.
- APOLLO. A superb, catchy autumn color, a sparkling combination of bronze, red, and gold suffused with glowing salmon.
- APHRODITE. Beautiful bright single flowers of pink and ivory.
- BURGUNDY. A stunning Decorative type of a rich wine red of medium height. Somewhat similar to The Moor. You should have them both.
- CERES. Lovely brilliant combination of old-gold, chamoisyellow, and soft coppery bronze. The mature flower petals appear as if dusted with gold. Height, 2½ feet.
- DAPHNE. An exquisite and fine blending of Daphne-pink with an under-lying sheen of lilac rose, enhanced with prominent golden stamens in the center. Height, 2 to 2½ feet.
- EMBER. A brilliant glowing bronze, a combination of coral and orange shades ever changing with the light. The flowers are excellent form; 2½ in. in diameter. Height, 2½ feet.
- EUGENE A. WANDER. A big, hardy Chrysanthemum that will flower before those early October frosts. A brilliant, glistening golden yellow beauty in full bloom by September 15 or 20th and so free flowering that the stocky plants are almost obscured by its branch.ng clusters of perfectly formed double flowers. Hardy and easily grown, it requires no special pinching or handling to produce flowers 4½ to 5 inches across—larger if disbudded. Fine also for pot culture. NOTE: Occasionally plants assume bronze-yellow tints. This was a 1941 novelty and has been a big seller. Price, 35c each.
- **HEBE.** Luminous pink blooms assuming soft lavender pink tones with a faint silvery halo surrounding the golden yellow center.
- **HESTIA.** Semi-double flowers are very freely produced. The color is a very delicate rose pink with a white halo around the small yellow disc.
- INDIAN SUMMER. Double glowing orange flowers, 3 inches across, somewhat shaggy in make-up. Fine upright growing plants, never requiring staking. Height, 2 to 2½ feet.
- JUNO. Compact plant, producing an abundance of single flowers opening a coppery red. A most persistent bloomer. Sends up new flower stalks over and over, clear into November. Height, 18 inches.
- LAVENDER LADY. Many years of intensive breeding were involved to produce this true pink beauty. No trace of mauve, purple, or magenta appears under any light conditions. It is a clear, attractive flower assuming a lovely silver-lavender tint when mature. The flowers are fully double, 3 inches or more across, and spaced so perfectly on the branching sprays that their individual beauty is easily appreciated. Combine this with the fact that Lavender Lady is unusually hardy and easy to grow and in full flower by October 8th and you have one of the marvels of the modern flower world. Height, 2½ feet. 30c each.
- LOUISE SCHLING. Bright glowing salmon-red in color, changing to a lovely soft bronze-salmon as the flowers mature. Very lovely.
- MARS. For those who prefer depth and brilliancy of color in the garden. Deep amaranth-red, changing to wine-red, overlaid with velvety sheen. Height, 2 to 2½ feet.
- MERCURY. Fine well formed, 3-inch single flowers open bronze red and change to coppery bronze as they mature. Hts., 2 ft

- MILKY WAY. Remarkable for the intensity of its milky white coloring in the open flower, contrasting with the creamy yellow buds; luxuriant rich green foliage down to the soil. The handsome, semi-double blossoms, with broad, overlapping petals of an unusual texture, are carried in branching sprays of 5 to 6; are more frost resistant than any other early white kind. Plant is very hardy and vigorous. A different and valuable new variety. In full flower late September. Height 2½ to 3 ft. This was a 1941 novelty. Price, 35c each.
- MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT III (By Bristol). The dominant shade is soft peach-pink, tinted with rosy salmon and fawn, the whole overcast with an indescribably luminous sheen. (Description Originator.) The very large, shapely double flowers, in combination with the hardy, vigorous, free branching plant and a new color effect, come nearer to perfection than any variety developed. In full flower October 1st. Height 2½ to 3 ft. This was a 1941 novelty and has been a big seller. Price reduced to 35c.
- PALE MOON. Densely branched trusses of fluffy sulphuryellow blossoms completely cover the compact-growing plant, suggesting the play of moonbeams. The nicely formed flowers are loosely double, and of excellent keeping qualities, and this soft colorful new shade is just the touch needed to combine effectively with the usual typical Chrysanthemum colors. Strong. vigorous and hardy. Height, 2 feet.
- PINK LUSTRE. Glowing, lustrous soft pink. Immense semidouble flowers on handsomely branched plants.
- ROBERTA COPELAND. An extremely valuable addition to our color range, being a unique bright tomato red on opening, later shading to a rose and salmon gold. There is no color in the early flowering sorts that even approaches this variety. Distinct and altogether attractive, blooming in mid-September. Height, 1½ feet. Frost resistant.
- ROMANY. Fully double blooms between carmine and Nopal-red, with bronze tones enhanced by the gold petal reverse appearing in the center. Unusually hardy. Height, 2½ feet. Very striking. Frost resistant.
- ROSE GLOW. Sheer quantity of blossoms and a distinct raspberry rose color which later shades to an opalescent rose make this a highly desirable variety. The flowers are semidouble, 2 inches across and borne in tremendous quantities on slender, gracefully branching sprays. A worthy newcomer in full flower October 5th. Heights, 2 feet.
- SUN GOD. The large perfectly formed flowers on stout well-branched stems of medium height are a rich old gold underlaid with bronze. As a cut flower under light it shines in a rosy glow. Height, 4 to 5 feet.
- SYMPHONY. Mauve-rose, overcast soft coppery rose, with the sheen of damask silk. In maturing the flower acquires silvery lilac and faint copper tones, very lovely, elusive and fascinating. The double flowers are 3 inches across, nicely formed and carried on heavy, sturdy stems, several to a spray. Frost resistant. Height, 5 feet.
- THE CHIEF. Most attractive beautiful flowers of red and gold when they first unfold, which later turn into clear red with gold reverse; a flower that attracts immediate attention. Good bloomer and lasting quality.
- THE MOOR. Rich amaranth purple or port wine red. Fully double of large size. Unusual and striking.
- **THALIA.** Lovely Daisy-like, large flowers with 2 rows of petals of a most attractive deep apricot color of lasting quality.
- VENUS. Color lilac-pink with rose-lavender shadings. Flowers semi-double, 2½ ins. across, with three or four rows of petals. Remarkable free flowering. maturing in late September. Will appeal to those who like lavender and lilac tones in the garden. Delightfully fragrant. Height, 2½ feet.
- VESTA. A plant of medium height and great vigor literally covered with flowers over 2½ inches in diameter of a deep golden orange shade; almost a duplex.
- YELLOW NORMANDIE. Comes into flower in mid-September and continues to produce fine sprays of bloom six weeks or longer. Its dwarf habit and luxuriant foliage endears it to all lovers of outdoor Chrysanthemums. The color is a clear light bronzy-yellow. Same as Barbara Cumming.
- NOTE: All Koreans are 25c each, and \$2.50 per dozen, with the exception of those that are marked at a higher price. Please, don't include these latters in your 25c list.

### THE CREAM OF KOREAN HARDY MUMS FULLY DESCRIBED ABOVE

\*Indicates good cut flower variety outside.

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### ALL DOUBLE VARIETIES

- \*\*MRS. PIERRE S. DU FONT III (1942). Magnificent, large, peach tinted bronze. Early October. 35c each.
  - EUGENE A. WANDER (1941). Big brilliant yellow. First to bloom. September 15. 35c each.
- \*\*MILKY WAY (1941). White Nipponicum Hybrid. Semi-double. September 25. 35c each.
- \*\*LAVENDER LADY (1939). Amazingly popular lavender. Oct. 5. 30c each.
- \*\*BURGUNDY (1939). Magnificent wine-red. October 5. 25c each.
- \*PALE MOON (1939). Soft sulphur, October 5. 25c each,
- \*ROSE GLOW (1939). Raspberry pink. Remarkably free. October 5. 25c each.
- SPECIAL OFFER FOR THIS COLLECTION OF THESE 7 HARDY KOREAN BEAUTIES. One of each, \$1.90. (Postage

### FOUR NEW AND DIFFERENT BEAUTIFUL AND HARDY KOREAN CHRYSANTHEMUMS OF 1942

- SEPTEMBER CLOUD. Like "September Gold" in habit—the ball like blossoms are a trifle larger, purest ivory-white with soft primrose shading in center; wonderfully fine dark green contrasting foliage. Breath-taking in its gleaming perfection. The
- SEPTEMBER BRONZE. The warm bronze and golden bronze tints of autumn are beautifully reflected in about the shapeliest little Pompon blossoms one can picture—and there are great quantities of them. It is a remarkable robust plant. Most colorful early variety to date.
- SEPTEMBER GOLD. Brilliant golden-yellow blossoms, trim and neat, 25 or more to a spray completely cover the shapely, well-rounded plants by mid-September and continue until the season's end. Colorful mounds, 18 inches in height, much wider the first season. Immensely prolific and somewhat earlier in succeeding years.
- PEACHBLOW (New). Distinctly new and different is this grand addition to the single type. A glorious blending of salmon pink, fawn, and bronze, it may be compared with the immensely popular "Mrs. Pierre S. duPont III," perhaps a bit more salmon. A husky, strong stemmed, well branched plant producing an amazing quantity of 2½-inch blossoms, each with four rows of petals, of colors and myried blooms were some Its unusual blend of colors, and myriad blooms won scores of enthusiastic admirers. A "must" for your autumn garden. Height 2½ feet.
- PRICE OF THESE NOVELTIES, 40c each; the 4 for \$1.50 (post-

### THE NEW DEAN KAY GROUP

A Thoroughly Hardy New Type in the Coldest Regions

- This is the new family of super-hardy summer flowering Chrysanthemums. The whole group is distinguished for the hundreds of blooms and the clean-cut color of each variety.

  DEAN KAY. Produces a great abundance of excellent rose-pink flowers starting to bloom in July. Perfectly hardy; plants tested in northern Maine. Height 2 to 2½ feet. 25c per plant.
- AN LADD. Very early. Masses of double, reddish bronze flowers. Begins to bloom in August. 25c each.
- MY LADY. Very unusual. Large double flowers of an orange-yellow color. August blooming. 25c each.
- YELLOW DEAN KAY. The plants are literally covered with large glistening straw-yellow flowers, with two rows of petals. A wonderful keeper. We have kept them in the house for two weeks. 25c each.
- SPECIAL, 4 plants, one of each variety of these splendid new hardy 'mums, for 90c, plus the postage.

### THE FASCINATING "SPIDER" CHRYSANTHEMUM

YELLOW SPIDER. Quilted petals standing stiff out from a large dark crown; splendid for garden effects and as a cut flower. Can be disbudded for largest flowers. Strong grower and persistent bloomer, way into November. Quite rain and frost proof. 25c per plant; height 3 to 4 ft.

### DESIRABLE POMPONS

- EARLY BRONZE. The best early; fine bronze. Early September. 11/2 ft. 25c.
- JUDITH ANDERSON. One of the best yellow, button type; masses of brilliant yellow blossoms early October; very hardy. Enormous sprays. A fine pot plant. 25c each; 70c for 3.
- GOLD IMPERIAL (New). Awarded silver medal and first prize, Bston 1940 and 1941. Large perfectly formed golden-yellow blossoms with a deeper yellow-orange center. Vigorous upright habit; fine keeping qualities. Price, 40c.
- **SEAFOAM.** (Novelty) Pure white, large with a full center. Blooms are produced on rigid sprays. Free and easy grower. Price, 40c.
- SUN GOLD. (Novelty). Large decorative pompon, deep lemonyellow in color. Fine keeper. Stem is medium and strong, the flowers well spaced on rigid sprays. 40c each.
- A distinct fine pompon type, producing quantities of miniature blossoms slightly over one inch across. Clear golden yellow color, remarkable for its brilliance and intensity. Commences to flower in early September.

### NEW SPOON CHRYSANTHEMUMS

### A Distinctly New Race

Here is something different in Hardy Chrysanthemums. The long tubular petals flatten at the tips so that each represents a

These novelty Spoon Mums are obtainable in two colors: White and Yellow. (The Pink we have discarded as a poor and late grower.) Price 25c, each color. (Always plus the postage.)

### Feathery and Threadlike Varieties

- GENA HARWOOD. Beautiful buff-apricot Rayonante. Each 25c.
- RAYONANTE. A pure white Rayonante; exceedingly beautiful; when disbudded will make a Dream of Beauty. A beautiful cut-flower for the house, keeping fresh for 2 weeks and a charming corsage. Each 35c.
- PATRICIA GRACE (Rayonante). A lovely rose-pink. Beautiful artistic flower for corsage. Good bloomer and keeper. Ea. 25c.
- BUMBU NO KAMI. Lavender pink; large tube with spoon; diameter 12 inches. Each 30c.
- KAY TASHIMA. White; large tube. Fishhook tipped. Diameter 15 inches. A fascinating beautiful flower. Each 30c.
- KEGON NO TAKI. Bright yellow of unusual formation; lower petals reflexed, balance incurved and twisted. Tall. Each 30c.
- MARIE TASHIMA. Beautiful pure white; large tube; fishhook tipped. Diameter 12 inches. A magnificent creation; for a corsage equals any orchid. Each 35c.
- PATRICIA NELSON. Striking red and gold; fine tube. Fully double of medium height. Each 30c.
- SOUVENIER. Light salmon pink; large tube; tall; diameter 12 inches; a beauty. Price 35c.

These varieties are so unusual and so beautiful that they deserve some extra care, some of them lath or cloth house protection in the late fall, as rains will spoil the delicate and beautiful blossoms. The so-called "Rayonantes" are quite hardy (the blooms) but much rain or fog will discolor the blossoms. Probably all of them need winter protection.

### ANEMONE TYPE

- ENCHANTRESS. (Novelty). Beautiful deep pink. Disbudded, makes blooms 6 inches in diameter; ordinarily 4 to 5 inches. Of medium height with strong stems. 40c each.
- GRAF VAN ORIOLE. A large Anemone type. A beautiful, artistic flower, 3 inches in diameter, up to 6 inches when disbudded; 3 to 5 rows of curled or twisted petals of an attractive shade of bright rose surrounding a thick pure yellow cushion 2 2½ inches in diameter. Surely a winner. Each 35c.

## A Choice List of New and Good Old Bearded Iris (Germanica)

### DELIVERY ONLY FROM JULY FIRST TO OCTOBER (NO SPRING SALES)

Prices in this Iris List supplant those in all previous price lists.

CANADIAN CUSTOMERS will please add 15c per pound to their order and will have to obtain plant permit from the Plant Bureau at Ottawa before shipment can be made. For large orders we advise Express Shipments.

In the United States Iris orders amounting to \$1.50 or less are not prepaid and **must include 25c postage** when order is given.

On large orders we advise Express Shipment, the customer paying the forwarding charges, in which case we will send extra plants free of charge to make up part of the forwarding charges.

We cannot too strongly recommend July and August planting for Iris. WE CANNOT SHIP BEFORE JULY 1 NOR AFTER NOVEMBER 1.

NOTICE TO LOCAL CUSTOMERS: If you expect to come to the gardens for Iris plants on Sunday, we request that you call us on the telephone or send in your order during the week so we can dig the rhizomes Saturday. We will not always be able to dig Iris on Sundays.

Prices for Iris as quoted below are for one new plant or rhizome which will bloom next season and on which the new side shoots or "babies" will develop before winter sets in; this will be your increase for next year. In July these new eyes are very small but will grow rapdly during August, September and October.

Consequently, in July, the new rhizomes weigh very little but each month thereafter they increase rapidly in weight until in October the plants of vigorous sorts will weigh as much as one pound, which means two pounds when packed; the postage on such a plant would be 15 cents to the Central States and 25 cents to the East. So you can readily figure out that we could not afford to pay the postage on any variety quoted at 25 to 50 cents. So please note carefully:

- ALTA CALIFORNIA (Mohr-Mitchell, 1931). Fine yellow, large blooms. S. clear yellow; F. deep yellow faintly bronzed. 4 ft. tall. July delivery. Each 25c.
  - ANITRA (Sass. 1936). One of the loveliest, clearest pure light blue Irises. Like the lovely color of that old favorite Celeste. The flowers are extra large of beautiful form and heavy substance. The standards are domed and the falls broad and flaring. The plants are vigorous and free flowering. It has an Honorable Mention and the rating is high. In July, each 25c.
- ANNE MARIE CAYEUX (Cayeux, France, 1928). One of the finest color blends; a metallic lustre of heliotrope-pink and violet. A jewel. Ht. 32 inches. July delivery. Each 25c.
- ANGELUS. Award of Merit. A lovely pale pink-lavender blended with cream. Large size and fine flaring form. Be assured it is an outstanding new Iris. In July, each 35c.
- BALLERINE (Vilmorin, France, 1920). Wisteria-blue bicolor of immense size. Very sweetly scented. A great favorite. Ht. 3 ft. July delivery. Each 25c.
- BLACK DOUGLAS. See under "THE BLACK DOUGLAS".
- BLUE VELVET (Loomis, 1929). A great beauty—a good doer everywhere. Royal shade of the richest blue, suggesting dark blue velvet. Ht. 42 inches. July delivery. Each 25c.
- BRUNO (Bliss, England, 1929). One of the five best Iris. S. bronze heliotrope; F. rich velvety violet purple. Ht. 3 ft. July delivery. Each 25c.
- BRUNHILDE (Salbach, 1934). Tall, dark blue-violet self. Large blooms, perfect form, flaring falls. Beard blue—branched stalks. An excellent novelty. Ht. 40 inches. July delivery. Each 25c.
- BURNING BRONZE (Ayres, 1934). A dark red self, almost afire with a bronze suffusion. Falls are flaring and extra large. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1933. An excllent novelty. Ht. 40 inches. July delivery. Each...25c.

PRICES FOR IRIS AS QUOTED BELOW INCLUDE THE POSTAGE TO ANY PLACE IN THE UNITED STATES. BUT ONLY FOR JULY DELIVERY WHEN THE RHIZOMES ARE SMALLEST AND LIGHTEST IN WEIGHT.

WHEN IRIS ARE SENT BY EXPRESS, THE PURCHASER PAYING THE FORWARDING CHARGES WHICH ARE VERY REASONABLE, IN SOME CASES NOT MORE THAN PARCEL POST OR ONLY A LITTLE MORE, WE WILL SEND YOU TWO EXTRA PLANTS IN THE 25-CENT CLASS—YOUR CHOOSING, PROVIDED YOU BUY AT LEAST 10 IRIS.

For month of August delivery, please add the following postage to the net prices as quoted:

Number Ordered	West of the Rockies	Central States	& Eastern States
4	10e	18c	25c
6	13c	24c	35e
10	17e	35c	55c
11 to 15	25e	45c	75c

Over 15 plants by Express, Charges Collect.

For month of September delivery, please add the following postage to the prices quoted:

			Southern
Number	West of the	Central	& Eastern
Ordered	Rockies	States	States
4	_15e	24e	35c
6	22c	36c	55c
10	30c	55c	85c
11 to 15	45e	80c	\$1.25

Over 15 plants by Express, Charges Collect.

For the month of October and onwards, when most of the plants are really big clumps with their "children" grown up, we recommend Express shipments only, which will not be prepaid. They can be sent by Parcel Post if you chose so, but the full postage has to be forwarded with the order.

We can not fill Iris orders for less than \$1.50 unless you will pay 25c extra for packing and postage.

- CALIFORNIA GOLD (Mitchell, 1933). Magnificent, deep yellow, large blooms. Does not fade. Late blooming. Ht. 30 inches. A superb novelty. July delivery. Each 25c.
- CHEERIO (Ayres). One of the brightest red, flushed dull gold. "A flame in the garden." Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1936. Ht. 38 inches. One of the best new "Red." July delivery. Each 25c.
  - CHINA MAID (Milliken, 1936). The large flowers of beautiful texture are carried on tall graceful stems and are of an exquisite beauty that will thrill you, a lovely blend of pink, golden bronze and soft lilac. It is one of the best introductions in this color class; you can not help but like it tremendously. In July, 50c.
  - CITY OF LINCOLN (Sass. 1936). Winner of many honors. Destined to be "THE" top notch Iris Novelty. It was the cynosure of all eyes in our Iris field the past season. A tall, huge striking variegata of clear bright yellow with velvety bright red falls. 40 inches tall, a perfect beauty when well grown. We are most enthusiastic about this marvelous Iris and any praise given can not be too high. In July, 75c.
- COPPER LUSTRE (Kirkland, 1934). A distinctive and unusual Iris. A glowing copper and gold blend, color iridescent like a new copper penny. Ht. 30 inches. Mid-season. One of the most noteworthy new Iris. In July, 30c.
- CRYSTAL BEAUTY. 40 inches tall; a dazzling white of great beauty; a graceful rounded flower. July delivery. Each 25c.
- DAUNTLESS (Connell, 1929). In color effect, a brilliant red bronze. Immense blooms. Dykes Medal. Ht. 40 inches. July delivery. Each 25c.
- **DEPUTE NOMBLOT** (Cayeux, France, 1930). One of the world's greatest Iris. A Dykes Medal Winner. S. purple, shaded old gold; F. wide, of a rch claret-crimson. 42 inches tall. July price, **25c each**.

- DESERT GOLD (Kirkland, 1930). One of the largest yellows, clear, bright tone; early and fragrant. Ht. 30 inches. July price, 25c each,
- **DIRECTEUR PINELLE** (Cayeux). A beautiful dark bronze-red of great size. S. clear coppery wine red. F. semi-flaring, velvety red with an almost black lustre. 42 inches tall. A strikingly handsome Iris. July price, 25c each.
- E. B. WILLIAMSON. A new glowing rosy-copper red blend, with a lustrous silken sheen. Has a color all of its own. Strong vigor, stems are low branched. It always attracts attention. Won a gold medal in Italy as the finest Iris in that year. Only 60c each.
- EASTER MORN (Essig). A giant white on tall branched stalks. flaring falls. Very distinct. Mid-season, Ht. 4 ft. Hardy everywhere. July price, 25c each.
- EL CAPITAN (Mohr. 1926). A magnificent, most popular Iris. Huge flowers of a soft lavender blue. An outstanding, striking Iris, Early. Ht. 28 inches. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1929. July price, 25c each.
- ELSA SASS (Sass. 1939). An outstanding Iris that immediately takes one's eye; a most enticing color of pure sulphur and chalcedony yellow; it seems like a cool frost is hovering over its petals. This surely is an Iris that will endure. \$2.50 each.
- EROS (Mead-Riedel, 1934). A fine salmon pink, iridescent, silky flower. Very fragrant, vigorous and a good fast grower. Ht. 42 inches. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1934, and again in 1936. July price, 25c each.
- ETHEL PECKHAM (Williamson, 1932). Wonderful, brilliant red; large, perfect flowers; probably the best of all "reds" yet produced. Very fragrant. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1932. A new winner. July price, 25c each.
- FRIEDA MOHR (Mohr-Mitchell, 1926). One of the best Iris in the world. Large. deep pink tones; perfect form, brilliant color. Long flowering season. Ht. 42 inches. July price, 25c each.
  - **GLORIOLE** (Gage, 1933). A giant ice-blue of unmatched substance overlaid with a sparkle-like frost crystals. Wonderfully beautiful and it's ruffled, too. A rare find at only 25c in July.
- GOLDEN MAJESTY (Salbach). A deep yellow hardy Iris said to be one of the four best yellows. Flowers are large of heavy substance, holding their color well; it is a good grower and increaser. \$1.25 each.
  - **GOLDEN TREASURE** (Schreiner). Award of Merit. An exquisite solid deep-cream Iris of scintillating silkiness in the golden center of the flower. It is tall, perfectly branched and very floriferous. You will love it. In July, 40c.
- GREAT LAKES. Got Honorable Mention from the Iris Society in 1939. An Award of Merit in 1940 and now in 1942 received the coveted great DYKES MEDAL for the best Iris of 1942. It is the purest blue without any veining; the beard is almost white. Blooms are flaring, the stalks finely and widely branched. 4 feet. A grand new light blue Iris. \$1.50 each.
- GUDRUN (K. Dykes, England, 1931). One of the finest new whites. Very large pure white blooms, lightly dusted with gold at throat, Golden beard. Ht. 3 feet. Royal Hort. Society, Dykes Memorial Medal, 1931; Award of Merit, American Iris Society, 1936. This is a new winner. July price, 25c each.
  - HAPPY DAYS (Mitchell, 1934). A tall perfect, clear yellow Iris; beautiful branched, each stalk carrying seven or eight massive blooms. Ht. 40 inches. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1935. July price, 25c each.
- INDIAN CHIEF (Ayres, 1929). Very fine and striking. S. pinkish red. F. deep rich velvety red. Large well formed flowers. A great beauty. July price, 25c each.
- JEAN CAYEUX (Cayeux, France, 1931). A Dykes Medal Winner. One of the finest introductions of recent years. Well formed, frilled flowers of a pale brown, shot with gold; a touch of blue at the beard. A super Iris. Winner of highest honors both in France and England. July price, 25c each.

- JUNALUSKA (Kirkland, 1934). A very striking new red Iris. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1936. S. coppery red, suffused rose. Falls red. An excellent novelty. July price, 30c each.
- LADY PARAMOUNT (White, 1939). A super brilliant tall primrose yellow of great size. Mid-season. Ht. 40 inches. An excellent Iris. In July, 25c.
- LOS ANGELES (Mohr-Mitchell, 1927). A giant snow white, with faint edgings of lavender-blue. One of the three best whites. Hardy everywhere. July price, 25c each.
- MABEL TAFT (Ware, 1932). A giant, wonderful blue with velvety falls. One of the largest Iris grown. Mid-season. July price, 25c each.
- MARQUITA (Cayeux). Huge flowers of creamy yellow standards with falls of the same color lined ruby. A most beautiful distinct Iris, 42 inches tall. In July, 30c. Always an early sell-out.
- MARY GEDDES (Washington, 1931). A beautiful, unusual Iris. S. light salmon. F. same shade but overlaid Pompeian red; the effect is an orange-salmon. Very floriferous. Ht. 40 inches. Dykes Medal Winner, 1936. July price, 25c each.
- MELCHIOR (Wallace, 1927). Beautiful red bronzy claret self; orange beard. Falls ruffled velvet. Mid-season. Ht. 36 inches. July price, 25c each.
- MELDORIC (Ayres, 1930). One of the best. The flowers are very large and blue-black with a golden beard. A very popular Iris. Ht. 30 inches. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1931. July price, 25c each.
- MIDGARD (S. P. Sass, 1926). S. and F. yellow, flushed with clear pink. Free bloomer and a strong grower. Ht. 30 inches. You should have this lovey Iris. July price, 25c each.
- MISSOURI (Grinter, 1933). One of the best new blue Iris. Extremely large flowers of a very beautiful, rich blue with an enamel-like finish. A profuse bloomer and very hardy; lovely fragrance. Mid-season. Ht. 3 ft. Winner of the Dykes Medal, 1937. In July, 30c.
- MODISTE, A fine silky lilac-lavender. Full rounded flowers, ideal growing habits with a sturdy branching stem. \$1.00.
- MOROCCO ROSE. A new NEAREST TO PINK Iris: fine form with semi-flaring falls. Unlike most so-called "PINK" Iris, which are small, Morocco Rose has really big flower. A grand outstanding pink iris. \$1.50.
  - MOHRSON (White). A beautiful, hardy Wm Mohr seedling. It is a charming beautiful Iris, more vigorous than its parent. The flowers are immense with standards of rich clear deep violet with a shining varnished-like surface: the falls are a beautiful shade of violet, closely veined. 2½ ft. tall, of easy culture, an Iris that will take your breath away. July price, 35c each.
- MRS. VALERIE WEST (Bliss, 1925). S. bronze. F. deep velvety purple. A gigantic flower on well branched stems. A world famous Iris. Ht. 36 inches. July price, 25c each.
- NARANJA (Mitchell, 1935). Richest of all the yellows; huge blooms. Falls distinctly orange. Standards bright yellow. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1936. Late. Ht. 40 inches. A new, most distinctive Iris. In July, 25c.
- NO-WE-TA (H. P. Sass, 1932). A beautiful, true pink self; yellow flushed at the center and edges of F. and S. Beautifully curled, frilled and ruffled. One of the most beautiful. July price, 25c each.

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- **OLD PARCHMENT.** Award of Merit—eligible to the 1942 Dykes Medal. A light creamy tan, with golden buff overlay; a distinctly beautiful new Iris of a most unusual color. Standards are "domed" and closed, the falls flaring; blooms are huge. heavy of substance and of a lasting quality. Height 3 ft. **Each \$3.00.** 
  - **ORMOHR** (Kleinsorge). Another Wm. Mohr seedling and the best so far. Perfectly hardy and easy to grow. 3 feet tall with giant flowers of a uniform grey-lavender, veined violet. A faint rosy glow envelopes the entire flower and unlike the short William Mohr it has tall stems branching near the top. A gorgeous and unusual Iris. \$1.00.
- PINK SATIN (J. Sass, 1930). Lovely, brilliant, glistening, light pink on tall, well branched stalks. Ht. 3 ft. July price, 25c ea.
- PLUIE D'OR ("Golden Rain" Cayeux, France, 1928). Tall, pure rich yellow, Free flowering, hardy and a rapid grower. Winner of the French Dykes Medal. Ht. 36 inches. July price, 25c each.
- **RADIANT.** A beautiful vivid bi-color. Standards burnished golden bronze; falls velvety copper-red. Beard bright orange. One of the most strikingly brilliant, outstanding Iris. 75c, 3 for \$2.00.
- RAMESES (H. P. Sass, 1929). Winner of Dykes Medal, American Iris Society. The big flowers are freely produced in rich gold, apricot, and pink, beautifully blended. Mid-season. Ht. 30 inches. July price, 25c each.
- **RED DOMINION** (Ayres, 1931). A beauty of rich red velvet. One of the most popular Iris grown. Ht. 42 inches. July price, 25c each.
  - RED GLEAM (By Lapham). Award of Merit—eligible to the 1942 Dykes Medal. A new real red Iris, the nearest approach to scarlet, of rich velvety brilliant texture. Semi-flaring form; height 3 ft. Each \$5.00.
  - ROSY WINGS (Gage). A most delightful color combination of iridescent rosy-red and copper tones, with a conspicuous orange beard. Tall, stately, well branched with the largest blooms. Ht. 38 inches. 1939 Dykes Medal Winner and other honors. You know what that means. In July, 25c.
- SANDALW00D (Sass, 1937). A new pale bronze of beautiful form and a lovely silky sheen. An improved Jean Cayeux. An outstanding Iris. In July, 40c.
- SENSATION (Cayeux, France). The peer of all blue Iris. Cornflower blue, frgrant, flowers beautifully arched and falls flaring. Late. Ht. 3 ft. July price, 25c each.
- SIERRA BLUE (Essig). Soft, clear blue without veining. Winner American Dykes Medal in 1935. Always in big demand; stock scarce. Ht. 42 inches. Early. July price, 25c each.
- SHINING WATERS (Essig. 1933). A lovely, clear campanula blue, beautiful texture, a great tall stem, well branched, carrying 12 or more buds. An Iris of great beauty and poise. Award of Merit American Iris Society, 1935. Mid-season. Ht. 48 inches. July price, 25c each.
- **SNOW KING** (Sass, 1939). One of the top notch white Iris. Regal and radiant of purest white, a King of White Irises. Tall, branching of regal splendor and hardy everywhere. July price, 35c.
- SPOKAN (Sass). The most brilliant red-brown blend in shades of copper and red. S. glowing reddish-brown; F. red overlain blackish-brown. A most attractive Iris. July price, 25c ech.
- THE BLACK DOUGLAS (Sass). A huge deeply colored flower of dark and blackish violet; the blue beard is tipped yellow. A very striking Iris. 36 inches, July price, 25c each.

- THE RED DOUGLAS (Sass). Winner of the 1941 Dykes Medal as the best novelty of 1941. One of the best of the new reds—a real red of plush-like substance. Extra large blooms, well formed; tall, branching stems. Altogether a rare and noble Iris. \$1.00.
- TREASURE ISLAND. A grand new GLORIOUS YEL-LOW with gigantic bright, clear yellow flowers on tall stems; bright orange beard. One of the finest clear GOLDEN YELLOW. Price, 60c.
- WABASH (Wmsn.). Winner of the 1940 Dykes Medal! Enough said. Many think this to be one of the finest Iris to date. Standards are white, falls a bright violet with a white margin. Flowers are large on well branched stalks 3 feet tall. You will be happy with this famous Iris. Wabash received more votes than any other Iris. In July, 65c.
- WINNESHIEK (Egel, 1931). An imposing, lustrous, gigantic, rich blue-black beauty, a deep intense violet. Mid-season. Ht. 36 inches. July price, 25c each.
- WILLIAM HOHR (Mohr, 1925). An unusual giant lilac beauty. Standards flushed darker, the whole flower beautifully veined. Requires winter protection in very cold sections. Can be grown in window boxes or pots. Foliage and rhizomes are small, the flowers immense. July price, 35c each.
- ZAHAROON (Dykes, England). Indescribably beautiful, a blend of amber, buff, yellow, fawn and softest violet. A strong grower. Ht. 42 inches. July price, 25c each.
- WE CAN NOT FILL IRIS ORDERS FOR LESS THAN \$1.50 and PAY THE POSTAGE, TOO; UNLESS YOU WILL PLEASE PAY 25c EXTRA TOWARDS THE DIGGING, PACKING AND POSTAGE.

## Two Iris Free!

Iris Bargain for July Delivery Only

## ANY 12 PLANTS SELECTED FROM THE 25-CENT CLASS FOR \$2.50, PREPAID.

During the month of August these same 12 plants will cost you \$2.75, prepaid, for the reason that the postage will be more on account of the plants being larger and weighing more.

And during **September** and **October** the 12 plants will cost you **25c** each straight, because they are now nearly twice the size as the early July plants and not prepaid, but:

Plus 25c postage West of the Rocky Mountains.

Plus 50c postage to all States between the Rocky Mountains and the Mississippi.

Plus 75c postage to all Eastern and Southern States.

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### Fall Bulbs

ORDER YOUR LILY AND IRIS BULBS EARLY! DON'T PUT IT OFF UNTIL FALL AS YOU MIGHT BE DISAPPOINTED. THERE IS A SHORTAGE, ESPECIALLY IN MADONNA LILIES AND IRIS BULBS.

Note: We can sell bulbs much cheaper if we send them by Express (you paying the charges) than we mailing the package and paying the higher Parcel Post charges.

### LILIUM REGALE

Introduced from Western China by Mr. E. H. Wilson. It is hardly necessary to sing the praises of Lilium Regale, for is it not generally regarded as the finest of all garden Lines of recent introduction? It is very bold and vigorous. They should be covered in early spring against late frosts. 7-8 inch circumference, will produce a nice flower stalk the first year; 25c each, postpaid West of the Rockies; 30c each, postpaid East of the Rockies. At the rate of 15c each per 25, 50 or 100 by express, charges collect. We may have larger ones, 8 to 9 inches, which will cost 50c each, postpaid West of the Rockies and 55c each East of the Rockies. THERE WILL BE NO LARGER SIZES—10-11 inches like we have had for the past years. Shipment to Alaska take the EASTERN parcel post rates.

The Regal Lily is easily grown from seed. 15c per pkt.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c.

#### LILIUM CANDIDUM (The MADONNA or ST. JOSEPH'S LILY).

From present outlook we will have no MADONNA LILIES for sale, though it is barely possible that we may have a few hundred of the smaller sizes, but definitely there will be no Mammoth sizes on the West Coast for two years or longer. Should you contemplate buying some for AUGUST PLANTING, NOT LATER—please write us your wants IN JULY and we will let you know just what we will have in August.

- PARDALINUM GIGANTEUM. THE GLORIOUS "SUNSET" LILY. Brilliant jewel-like flowers of a rich vermilion with red tips of the petals with a deep golden throat, thickly spotted with purple-black spot. One of the easiest lines to grow; requires no special care. Large blooming size buibs, each 35c; dozen \$3.50. Smaller blooming size, 25c each; dozen \$2.50.
- LILIUM BELLINGHAM HYBRID "SHUKSAN". A new glorious lily, vigorous and hardy and of easy culture. Tall wiry stems dotted with the gleaming flowers of warm yellow, spotted reddish brown. The color has been compared to leopard's skin. 6-8 inch bulbs, 85c each; 8-10 inch size, \$1.25.
- ATTENTION! All Lily Bulbs are subject to crop; we may not be able to get them dug. If not, your money will be refunded to you November 1st. Please order your bulbs EARLY; don't wait until August or September. Lily bulbs especially are going to be short. If you prefer pay only 20 per cent of your lily bulb order down with your order; balance when bulbs are ready. Madonna lilies in August; Regals, Pardalinum Giganteum and Shuksan in October.
- CAMASSIA LEICHTLINI. Deep blue. It is a fine plant that may grow to four feet in height, with as many as a hundred flowers of the finest, even form, star-shaped, and as large as an inch and a half across. It flowers in long succession. \$1.10 per dozen postpaid; 3 for 30c. By express, charges collect, \$7.00 per 100; 50 for \$3.50.
- CAMASSIA CUSICKII. The finest of all Camassias. Elegant spikes of large, pale lavender starry flowers with yellow anthers. Height 4 feet; blooms in May. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.
- LEUCOJUM (Snowflake). Produce pretty, nodding white flowers somewhat like a Giant Snowdrop on tall 18-inch stems. They bloom at the same time as Tulips, or a little earlier, and are lovely subjects for the spring garden too little known. Large round bulbs, 3 for 40c; 6 for 75c; 1 doz. \$1.50, postpaid.
- MUSCARI (GRAPE HYACINTH). Heavenly Blue. Early spring blooming bulbs; charming in the border and in the alpine garden. Large blooming size, 75c per doz. postpaid; 3 doz. for \$2.00 postpaid. By express, charges collect, \$5.00 per 100.
- CROCUS BULBS. In Mixture only. Yellow, Purple, White, Striped. First size, 50c per doz., postpaid; 3 doz. for \$1.25, postpaid. By express, charges collect, \$3.50 per 100.



LEUCOJUM (SNOWFLAKE)

SCILLA ALBA MAJOR. The large white form of the Scotch Bluebell

SCILLA CAMPANULATA "BLUE QUEEN". Fine blue Scotch Bell or Wood Hyacinth.

SCILLA "BLUSH QUEEN". Fine pale pink form.

Any color of the Scillas, 6 for 50c; 90c per doz., postpaid. For large blooming bulbs, \$5.00 per 100, by express, charges collect.

## A Big Bargain!

### FOR LATE SUMMER AND FALL 1943 DELIVERY ONLY

FOR ONLY \$1.00—Postpaid

NO SUBSTITUTES

DON'T WAIT TOO LONG! SEND YOUR ORDER AT ONCE. OWING TO A SHORTAGE IN DUTCH AND SPANISH IRIS BULBS, THE ABOVE BARGAIN OFFER IS SUBJECT TO WITHDRAWAL WITHOUT NOTICE, AT ANY TIME. WHEN THE BULBS ARE GONE, THERE WILL NOT BE ANY MORE AND THIS OFFER WILL BE CANCELED WITHOUT NOTICE.

### DUTCH AND SPANISH IRIS BULBS

These Iris bulbs vary in price according to the size of the bulbs. We sell only the large size, first quality of bulbs sure to bloom outdoors in your garden, so don't be misled by lower prices, the bulbs will certainly be smaller in size.

Bulbs must be planted in October or November (not later)—to remain in the ground for two or three years, when the colonies then formed must be divided in August, and replanted in September. It will be found that the blubs have tripled and quadrupled.

Plant these Iris bulbs in well-drained, light, sandy loam, if possible, fertilize with bone meal at planting time, and mulch well during the winter in cold climates.

### **DUTCH IRIS (Finer New Varieties)**

First Size Bulbs. No Less Than 6 of a Variety Sold.

- LEONARDO DA VINCI. Standards creamy white, falls canary yellow with orange stripe. Very early flowers. Ht. 28 inches. Price of this one is 75c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$2.20, postpaid.
- POGGENBEEK. Standards and falls uniform dark blue. Great improvement on Imperator. Ht. 30 inches.
- THEO. WYCK. 20 in. tall. Standards and falls uniform cornflower blue, with narrow orange stripe; very beautiful. You will love it.
- WHITE EXCELSIOR. Uniform pure white, falls very broad. Very good form and substance. Ht. 22 inches.
- YELLOW QUEEN. 28 in. tall. Both the standards and falls golden yellow. Perfectly lovely. Prices for any of the above: With the exception of Leonardo da Vinci (which is 75c a doz.) 60c per doz.; 3 doz for \$1.75; 50 for \$2.50. All postpaid. Per express, charges collect, \$5.00, with the exception of Leonardo da Vinci, which is \$6.00 per 100.
- IF YOU WANT A MIXTURE OF THE ABOVE NAMED VARIETIES, they will cost 60c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$1.75, postpaid; per 100, \$5.00, by express, charges collect.
- MIXTURE. A well blended mixture, 45c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$1.25, postpaid. Per 100 by express, charges collect, \$3.50.
- TINGITANA HYBRID "WEDGEWOOD". The handsomest of all. Not hardy outs de in the coldest sections of New England, but a great Iris for forcing or for milder climates. A large, clear light-blue self color. Largest bulbs 9/10 cm. circ., 60c a doz.; 3 doz. for \$1.75, postpaid. Per 100 by express, charges collect, \$4.00. Second large sizes, 8/9 cm. circ., 40c per doz. straight, postpaid. Per 100 by express, charges collect, \$3.50.

PLEASE NOTE: If you lose your bulbs during the winter and they fail to come up, it is not our fault nor the bulbs', so do not ask us to replace them the following year. If you plant the bulbs early—by November 1st—in well-drained soil, then upon approach of cold weather mulch them will, you won't lose them.

### SPANISH IRIS

First or Top Size Bulbs, 6 to 7 Cm.

These bloom ten days to two weeks after the Dutch Iris, and bloom with the late German Iris. They are lovely, graceful flowers, charming cut flowers lasting from a week to ten days after being cut, all the buds blooming out.

CAJANUS. A glorious golden yellow self; the tallest of them all.

KING OF THE BLUES. Beautiful dark blue.

KING OF THE WHITES. A lovely clear white.

A LOVELY MIXTURE.

Please do not order less than six of one kind. Prices for any of the above straight colors or mixed, 55c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$1.50; per 100, \$4.00. All postpaid.

SPANISH IRIS "GOLDEN LION". Novelty. A very beautiful "frilled" yellow. Height 2 in. Golden-yellow "frilled" falls; standards lemon-yellow, not so much frilled as the falls. A beauty. Per doz. 75c; 3 doz. for \$2.10. All postpaid. Per 100 by express (50 proportionally but not 25) \$6.00. Blooming size, 6/7 cm. circ. Extra large size, 7/8 cm. circ., per doz. 90c; 3 doz. for \$2.60. All postpaid.



### ENGLISH IRIS BULBS

First or Top Size.

Very handsome large flowers; the last Iris to bloom.

IN MIXTURE ONLY, largest blooming bulbs, 90c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$2.60, postpaid. Per 100 by express, charges collect, \$6.00.

### **AUNT MARY'S SWEET CORN**

Originated in Ohio, it is supposed to have been given to some person named "Aunt Mary" by the Indians, and handed down through the family for many years and was again put on the market two or three years ago by a Mr. Bonnewitz. It is taking the country by storm and not enough praise can be given it.

Never was sweet corn that tasted as sweet. It will stay in good condition for table use for two or three weeks. It stays in milk so long that natural ripening is impossible; ears that were ready for table use in September were still in milk when hard frosts killed the plants.

You can make early sowing, mid-season sowing and late planting, throughout the entire season and can have your sweet corn into October; the late planting contain even a higher percentage of sugar than the early plantings.

BY ALL MEANS GIVE THIS SWEET CORN A TRIAL THIS YEAR AND YOU WILL COME BACK FOR MORE NEXT YEAR. Make your first planting during May—two weeks apart; make another one the second week in June, another the last week in June, and the last planting the first week in July, and this will furnish you sweet green ears in early October.

We have had reports from customers having the ears for table use for Thanksgiving. They had made late plantings of seed in June and July.

Prices of seed, reduced for 1943: Per pack of approx. 125 kernels, 15c; per pkt. of approx. 250 seeds, 25c; ½ pound will produce approx. 500 plants and costs 50c. All postage paid..

Special price by the pound: West of the Rocky Mts., 65c. East of the Rockies, 75c.

By express, charges collect,  $50\mathrm{c}$  per pound anywhere. (Trade price not less.)

Send in your order early. We did not have enough last year to fill late orders, and more people order every new season.

We have dozens of testimonials like these: "Youngstown, Ohio. Send us \$2 worth of Aunt Mary's Sweet Corn. We think it is the best sweet corn we have ever had." "University City, Mo. Your Aunt Mary's Sweet Corn is delicious. Next year we will have to buy a quart of the seed."

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White Chadwick White Chief White Early Monarch Wm. H. Wait

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## Complimentary "Free Will" Comments From "All Over" the U. S.

Kansas City, Mo., Meyer Blvd., Feb. 26, 1942.

The Delphiniums I grew from your double White Wonder Strain were breath-taking in their beauty and it was thrilling to see how many of them had the longed-for BLACK VELVETY BEE. Do you wonder that I am pleased with your seeds and want to tell you so?

Mrs. W. E. W.

Charlotte Court House, Virginia, May 14, 1942.

The shipment of CHRYSANTHEMUMS which you sent me, reached here in excellent condition.

 $C.\ M.\ N.$ 

Magnolia, Minnesota, Nov. 14, 1942.

I raised the 15 'Mums I got from you this spring and they are all blooming nicely now.

F. L. K.

Bay Village, Ohio, July, 1942.

I have had almost 100% germination from all seed purchased from you; I have sold many clumps of Delphiniums this spring and have had only well pleased reports from my customers.

Our Regal Lilies bloomed beautifully this season from your seed. We had to move our Delphinium clumps in early MARCH when the frost was still in the ground and heeled them in in trenches; they were none the worse for it, for they were exquisite this summer.

Mrs. H. K. A.

Middletown, Ohio, Aug. 18, 1942.

I am enclosing an order for 5 dozen Delphinium plants; PRIZE WINNER STRAIN, advanced seedlings.

Your Delphiniums to me are THE BEST OF ALL STRAINS. Although our ground is not so suitable, by buying some each year I can keey myself supplied.

Mrs. H. L. B.

Springfield, Mo., Nov. 17, 1942.

The Delphinium seedlings I ordered, every one is growing fine. I had unusually lovely Delphiniums from last year's order.

Mrs. T. B. C.

Lockport, Illinois, July, 1942.

I have some beautiful Delphiniums from your seeds. The "DREAM" are beauties; in fact I have quite a mixture of colors and they are large and beauties. I am proud of my Delphiniums from the seeds I got from you. I have tried the Pacific strain but I still like yours best.

Mrs. A. P., State St.

Windsor, N. J., June 25, 1942.

I have tried "Dream" and your Whites, also 55/66 strain, every one thinks I have some secret preparation I use. They won't believe it is seed that counts. I have had marvelous results with your seeds.

Mrs. A. E.

East Toledo, Ohio, July 11, 1942.

I grow Delphiniums for the retail cut flower trade only, and of several strains tried in last five years your seem suited best. The type of flower and quality of color form is wonderful. Straight up cylinder-like spikes like tall double Hyacinths and sparkling clear pastel colors of your pedigreed Prize Winner Strain.

A. Floral Gardens.

Grosse Points Woods, Mich, June 24, 1942.

I was very pleased with the vitality of your seeds which I received from you this last year. Planted in alternate rows with seeds from other seedsmen, yours germinated perfectly while others gave a spotty germination. Also my black-eyed white Delphiniums are the wonder of the neighborhood.

L. L. B.

Howard Lake, Minnesota, July 12, 1942.

I bought a packet of your "Dream" Delphinium two years ago and have had marvelous success with them. The most beautiful Delphiniums ever grown around here. Some were eight and a half feet tall with flower stalks thirty-six to forty inches, full of the loveliest shaded flowers, some almost three inches across. I had at least a dozen different kinds—pure white, white with a black bee and every shade of blue and lavender, all doubles.

Mrs. J.

Silver Springs, Maryland, Feb. 26, 1942.

I do want you to know how much I enjoyed my blooms from your Delphinium "Dream". This bloomed for me in the summer of 1941 and surely you have named it correctly.

Of course, I have had your 55/66 for a long time and most of your others. None that I have ever seen compares with the ones from your seed. Eight feet last year was the height of some.

Mrs. A. R. C.

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